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Mr. Barnes, who has been planning for several years to build upon the location when the occasion seemed ripe for such a move, determined a few months ago to erect a two-story building upon the tract, with storerooms upon the ground floor and offices above. Architect Alfred Grindle was commissioned to make the drawings for the structure, and he produced a conception that was a model of its kind and elicited the warmest commendation not alone for its artistic treatment, but for the cleverness and practicability of the design. Contracts for the erection of the building were let to Henry Mollet and the work of excavation is now practically completed.

Some weeks ago Messrs. Wolf & Dessauer, whose business has long since outgrown their present quarters in the Certia building, on Calhount street, took up with Mr. Barnes the changing of his plans and the erection of a building four stories in height instead of but two, as had been originally planned. Architect Grindle was called into consultation, the negotiations have been carried forward quietly until this morning Mr. Barnes closed with Wolf & Dessauer a lease for the new building and gave instructions for the erection of a building more than double the proportions of the structure originally planned.

IT WILL BE A BEAUTY.

Within a very short time Architect Grindle will have completed the drawings for the new building, which will be one of the very finest modern store buildings in the west. It will be 90x120 feet in size, four stories in height, built of brick with stone front and richly trimmed. While the exterior will be a most pleasing and imposing one, the interior excellence will be quite as marked, for it will contain every modern equipment and facility, and will be constructed after the most advanced metropolitan ideas. There will be a full complement of electric passenger and freight elevators, toilet rooms, private electric plant for lighting and power, and every accessory that is necessary in the equipment of a great retail building of the most modern type. Contractor Mollet will perform the work of construction, and it will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

No date has been definitely fixed for the completion of the structure, but the lease upon the entire structure has been closed by Wolf & Dessauer, and that firm will occupy the building as soon as it can be completed. The firm, composed of Samuel Wolf and Louis Dessauer, has been engaged in the dry goods business in Fort Wayne since April, 1896. It has always ranked among the foremost mercantile establishments in the city, and has enjoyed a career of uniform and uninterrupted prosperity. The leasing of the new quarters means that the capacity of the store will be more than doubled, and that the present establishment, already of large proportions, will be vastly enlarged.

SOME AMATEUR GAMES.

There was an exciting game of base ball on "the hill," in Bloomingdale, on Saturday, in which the Young Shamrocks defeated the Bloody Runners by a score of 17 to 9. Anthony Kocks and Harry Creper were the battery for the Shamrocks, and Carl Geary and Fred Ehinger were in the points for the other fellows.

The Wide Awakes defeated the Spy Run Stars in a closely contested game, the score being 7 to 3. The feature of the game was the batting of the Wide Awakes. Batteries—Wide Awakes, L. Crosby, Bade and Rabus; Stars, Centilivre and R. Crosby.

GEORGE MULLIN'S BOND FORFEITED

Judge O'Rourke Issues Bench Warrant for Indicted Ball Player.

George Mullin, the Detroit base ball pitcher, is now a fugitive from justice and is a fugitive right. His bond of $500 to answer to a charge of perjury inthe circuit court today, was declared forfeited and a warrant for his arrest was issued from the bench and placed in the hands of the sheriff.

Mullin was indicted by the last grand jury for perjury, hte causes leading to the indictment being well known to all who are interested. Briefly, he signed a contract with I. Mautner to play ball in Fort Wayne last year and accepted advance money at the same time, making affidavit that he was under contract with no other manager or club. It subsequently developed that he had accepted money under similar conditions from at least two other managers and his arrest followed. It was thought that the matter had been settled when, after a preliminary trial, he gained his liberty and was shortly after spirited out of town. After his indictment he came to Fort Wayne and gave bond in the sum of $500 for his appearance, with Dr. E. J. McOscar as surety. He was notified that his case was set for hearing today and this afternoon, when his name was called, he failed to respond. His bond was declared forfeited and a bench warrant was issued for his arrest. Meantime Prosecutor Emrick is preparing a complaint against the bondsman to collect the amount as forfeited; this suit will be filed sometime today.

Mullin has many friends in this city who will feel sincerely sorry to learn that he failed to appear as scheduled. In his previous troubles, which were of a civic nature, he was immune from arrest as long as he kept outside of the state, but in this case he is liable to arrest in any part of the United States and can be brought to answer by requisition wherever found. The prosecutor and the prosecuting witness are both rather wrathy about Mullin's failure to appear, and there is no question but that the most drastic measures will be employed to bring him to trial.

GENERAL COURT NEWS.

Theodore Tagtmeyer was today cited to answer to contempt proceedings in the superior court on the 27th of May. The defendant's wife, Leora Tagtmeyer, has instituted divorce proceedings and at the same time prayed for an allowance pending the hearing of the final proceedings. The allowance was granted and Tagtmeyer was ordered to pay a certain sum to the woman, which he failed to do—in fact, has paid her nothing. She now sues for the allowance and also institutes the action for contempt.

In the case of Julia Stiner vs. R. J. Passino, for fraudulent conveyance, the circuit court today found for the defendant and against the plaintiff for costs.

William Scott has qualified as executor of the estate of the late Archibald Kite.

The will of Mary McDermott has today been admitted to probate.

ROLLING MILL MAN WILL VISIT CITY

President Moody Coming to Discuss Project--Stock is Yet Needed.

Prospects for securing the big rolling mill industry in Fort Wayne are regarded as very favorable, though not all the stock necessary has yet been subscribed. The committee has secured a brief extension of the time option upon the property, and is laboring assiduously to get the necessary $87,500 subscribed.

It is felt that with the coveted prize so near it would be a lamentable misfortune were the effort to fail for the lack of a few thousand dollars worth of stock, and the committee is urging all who are in position to do so to come to the aid of the effort.

President Moody, who is at the head of the American Rolling Mill corporation, will arrive in the city tomorrow, and in the evening a meeting will be held at the Commercial club rooms. Mr. Moody will be glad to meet all who are in any way interested in securing the big industry for Fort Wayne, and will be prepared to give much interesting information concerning the business and its probable future.

CASSINI BLAMES JEWS OF RUSSIA

Russian Ambassador Says the Money Lenders are Cause of the Trouble.

THEY RUIN PEASANTRY

State Department Expects to Make No Move Through Diplomatic Channels.

Washington, May 18.—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, in a conversation today with a representative of the Associated Press relative to the Jewish troubles in Russia, said:

"There is in Russia as in Germany and Austria a feeling against certain of the Jews. The reason for this unfriendly attitude is found in the fact that the Jews will not work in the field or engage in agriculture. They prefer to be money lenders. Give a Jew a couple of dollars and he becomes a banker and money broker. In this capacity he takes advantage of the Russian peasant, whom he soon has in his power and ultimately destroys. It is when the patience of the peasant is exhausted that a conflict between peasants and Jews occurs. Ordinarily the Russian is a very patient person, but it is only natural that he should entertain a feeling of resentment for the one who has wrought his ruin.

"Emperor Nicholas I sought to help the Jew by ordering the establishment of agricultural colleges in southern Russia, hoping to induce the Jews to engage in agricultural pursuits instead of money lending, but the effort was not successful; nor have other projects establishing Jewish states been successful.

WHAT THE SITUATION IS.

"The situation in Russia so far as the Jews are concerned is just this: It is the peasant against the money-lender and not the Russians against the Jews. There is no feeling against the Jew in Russia because of religion. It is as I have said—the Jew ruins the peasants with the result that conflicts occur when the latter have lost all their worldly possessions and have nothing to live upon.

"There are many good Jews in Russia and they are respected. Jewish genius is appreciated in Russia and the Jewish artist is honored. Jews also appear in the financial world in Russia.

"The Russian government affords the same protection to the Jews that it does to any other of its citizens, and when a riot occurs and Jews are attacked the officials immediately take steps to apprehend those who begun the riot and visit severe punishment upon them. In the past Russians have been punished severely for attacks upon Jews. But owing to these conflicts the Jews continue to do the very things which have been responsible for the troubles which involve them."

CANNOT MIX WITH JEWS.

Continuing the conversation, the ambassador said: "The Russian readily assimilates with the people of all other races, and if he cannot assimilate with the Jew it is apparent that the fault must lie with the Jew and not with the Russian."

The ambassador's attention was called to the statement contained in press dispatches from St. Petersburg today to the effect that a ministerial decree had been issued forbidding the Jews arming themselves for their own protection. "I have received no information regarding the nature of the decree," he said, "but I know that when the facts are made known it will appear differently and will be shown that the decree does not discriminate against the Jews. The fact that Lieutenant General Raaben, the governor of Bessarabia, has been called to St. Petersburg shows conclusively that the imperial authorities are seriously regarding the recent occurrences at Kishineff and are taking prompt measures to punish the guilty and to prevent repetitions of these disturbances."

NOTHING CAN BE DONE.

Washington, May 18.—None of the many resolutions relative to the Kishineff outbreak adopted yesterday at various places in the United States has reached the state department and the officials have nothing new before them upon which to proceed. It is not known whether further instructions have been sent to our embassy at St. Petersburg. So far the department has before it only newspaper clippings describing the Kishineff massacre, and it scarcely feels authorized to move upon that basis, even if it had the power to do so. Admitting a desire to investigate in disregard of the formal assurance of the Russian government to Ambassador McCormick, the department would probably have to content itself with the sworn statements of refugees from Kishineff.

To procure information through the American embassy or the American consuls in Russia would probably render our diplomatic agents persona non grata in case they should cast doubt upon the official Russian statements.

The brief cablegram from St. Petersburg this morning might open the way for diplomatic action on the part of the United States in this matter. That statement said the Russian governmen had forbidden the Jews to arm or defend themselves, with a deliberate purpose of forcing them to emigrate to the United States, for nowhere in Europe could they find refuge. Such action would be similar to that taken by the Roumanian government upon which the state department laid down the doctrine that the dumping of hordes of emigrants likely to prove paupers upon our shores was obnoxious to the United States. In this connection it may be worth noting that in spite of the vigorous protest against Roumania's action contained in the state department's circular note to the powers, the Roumanian government never admitted our right to interfere even on the basis of immigration, and conditions continue very much as they were so far as the Jews in Roumania are concerned.

DEATH ENDS LONG PERIOD OF ILLNESS

Mrs. William Paap Succumbs to Bright's Disease--Other Mortuary Matters.

Mrs. Margaret Paap, wife of William Paap, a florist employed at the city greenhouses, died at 3:30 o'clock this morning at the family home, 2132 Oakley street, at the age of 61 years and 10 months. Death was due to Bright's disease, and it came as the termination of four years of illness.

Mrs. Paap was a native of Germany, but came with her parents to America when a mere babe. The family located in Michigan, which was her home until five years ago, when she removed to this city. She was twice married. Surviving are the husband and four children—the Misses Lottie and Lena Paap, of this city; George H. Anweiler, of Florida, and William Anweiler, of Fort Wayne. Four sisters and a brother also resides in Michigan.

The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 1:30 from the residence and at 2 o'clock from Emmaus Lutheran church.

HERROLD.

John Herrold, a former resident of this county, died Saturday at Easthaven hospital for the insane at Richmond, from general paresis, at the age of 47 years.

The remains were shipped to this city this morning and taken to a cemetery near Arcola for interment.

MAGNER.

Mrs. Mary Louise Magner, wife of Eli Magner, died at 5:20 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the family home, 1340 East Lewis street, from tuberculosis. Mrs. Magner's age was 40 years and her death came as the termination of a long period of illness.

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Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence and at 2:30 from the English Lutheran church of the Redeemer.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Sarrazin.—Funeral services of Miss Josephine Sarrazin will be held Tuesday morning at 8:30 from the residence in St. Joseph township, and at 9 o'clock from St. Michael's Catholic church.

The young lady is survived by her mother, six brothers and two sisters.

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Pekin, May 18.—China, in reply to further representations of the United States and Japanese ministers, has again pointed out the impossibility of including in the commercial treaties the opening to trade of Manchurian towns on account of Russian opposition.

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C. C. Baldwin, of New York, a representative of the southern cotton mills, who has investigated the trade conditions in Manchuria, reports that the American cotton trade was increasing enormously until recently, when the Russians began to exert pressure upon the Chinese, amounting to coercion, for second orders for Russian firms amounting to 800,000 bales of good, which otherwise would have gone to America.

Mr. Baldwin says the foreign firms complain bitterly of the difficulty of conducting business under the Russian administration, and he believes that unless Russian absorption of Manchuria is checked the United States will be deprived of a most promising market for cottons within a few years.

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NORTHERN BAPTISTS GATHER IN BUFFALO

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WOLF & DESSAUER LEASE

Well Known Dry Goods Firm to Occupy Entire Four Floors of Fine Building.

Two events of importance transpired in Fort Wayne business circles today. In the first of these J. B. Barnes, who has begun the erection of a business building on West Berry street, adjoining the Arcade property, determined to make the new structure a modern metropolitan store building, four stories in height. The second step in the proceeding occurred when Wolf & Dessauer, one of the leading dry goods firms in Fort Wayne, closed a long-time lease for the entire structure.

Mr. Barnes, who has been planning for several years to build upon the location when the occasion seemed ripe for such a move, determined a few months ago to erect a two-story building upon the tract, with storerooms upon the ground floor and offices above. Architect Alfred Grindle was commissioned to make the drawings for the structure, and he produced a conception that was a model of its kind and elicited the warmest commendation not alone for its artistic treatment, but for the cleverness and practicability of the design. Contracts for the erection of the building were let to Henry Mollet and the work of excavation is now practically completed.

Some weeks ago Messrs. Wolf & Dessauer, whose business has long since outgrown their present quarters in the Certia building, on Calhount street, took up with Mr. Barnes the changing of his plans and the erection of a building four stories in height instead of but two, as had been originally planned. Architect Grindle was called into consultation, the negotiations have been carried forward quietly until this morning Mr. Barnes closed with Wolf & Dessauer a lease for the new building and gave instructions for the erection of a building more than double the proportions of the structure originally planned.

IT WILL BE A BEAUTY.

Within a very short time Architect Grindle will have completed the drawings for the new building, which will be one of the very finest modern store buildings in the west. It will be 90x120 feet in size, four stories in height, built of brick with stone front and richly trimmed. While the exterior will be a most pleasing and imposing one, the interior excellence will be quite as marked, for it will contain every modern equipment and facility, and will be constructed after the most advanced metropolitan ideas. There will be a full complement of electric passenger and freight elevators, toilet rooms, private electric plant for lighting and power, and every accessory that is necessary in the equipment of a great retail building of the most modern type. Contractor Mollet will perform the work of construction, and it will be pushed as rapidly as possible.

No date has been definitely fixed for the completion of the structure, but the lease upon the entire structure has been closed by Wolf & Dessauer, and that firm will occupy the building as soon as it can be completed. The firm, composed of Samuel Wolf and Louis Dessauer, has been engaged in the dry goods business in Fort Wayne since April, 1896. It has always ranked among the foremost mercantile establishments in the city, and has enjoyed a career of uniform and uninterrupted prosperity. The leasing of the new quarters means that the capacity of the store will be more than doubled, and that the present establishment, already of large proportions, will be vastly enlarged.

SOME AMATEUR GAMES.

There was an exciting game of base ball on "the hill," in Bloomingdale, on Saturday, in which the Young Shamrocks defeated the Bloody Runners by a score of 17 to 9. Anthony Kocks and Harry Creper were the battery for the Shamrocks, and Carl Geary and Fred Ehinger were in the points for the other fellows.

The Wide Awakes defeated the Spy Run Stars in a closely contested game, the score being 7 to 3. The feature of the game was the batting of the Wide Awakes. Batteries—Wide Awakes, L. Crosby, Bade and Rabus; Stars, Centlivre and R. Crosby.

GEORGE MULLIN'S BOND FORFEITED

Judge O'Rourke Issues Bench Warrant for Indicted Ball Player.

George Mullin, the Detroit base ball pitcher, is now a fugitive from justice and is a fugitive right. His bond of $500 to answer to a charge of perjury inthe circuit court today, was declared forfeited and a warrant for his arrest was issued from the bench and placed in the hands of the sheriff.

Mullin was indicted by the last grand jury for perjury, hte causes leading to the indictment being well known to all who are interested. Briefly, he signed a contract with L. Mautner to play ball in Fort Wayne last year and accepted advance money at the same time, making affidavit that he was under contract with no other manager or club. It subsequently developed that he had accepted money under similar conditions from at least two other managers and his arrest followed. It was thought that the matter had been settled when, after a preliminary trial, he gained his liberty and was shortly after spirited out of town. After his indictment he came to Fort Wayne and gave bond in the sum of $500 for his appearance, with Dr. E. J. McOscar as surety. He was notified that his case was set for hearing today and this afternoon, when his name was called, he failed to respond. His bond was declared forfeited and a bench warrant was issued for his arrest. Meantime Prosecutor Emrick is preparing a complaint against the bondsman to collect the amount as forfeited; this suit will be filed sometime today.

Mullin has many friends in this city who will feel sincerely sorry to learn that he failed to appear as scheduled. In his previous troubles, which were of a civic nature, he was immune from arrest as long as he kept outside of the state, but in this case he is liable to arrest in any part of the United States and can be brought to answer by requisition wherever found. The prosecutor and the prosecuting witness are both rather wrathy about Mullin's failure to appear, and there is no question but that the most drastic measures will be employed to bring him to trial.

GENERAL COURT NEWS.

Theodore Tagtmeyer was today cited to answer to contempt proceedings in the superior court on the 27th of May. The defendant's wife, Leora Tagtmeyer, has instituted divorce proceedings and at the same time prayed for an allowance pending the hearing of the final proceedings. The allowance was granted and Tagtmeyer was ordered to pay a certain sum to the woman, which he failed to do—in fact, has paid her nothing. She now sues for the allowance and also institutes the action for contempt.

In the case of Julia Stiner vs. R. J. Passino, for fraudulent conveyance, the circuit court today found for the defendant and against the plaintiff for costs.

William Scott has qualified as executor of the estate of the late Archibald Kite.

The will of Mary McDermott has today been admitted to probate.

ROLLING MILL MAN WILL VISIT CITY

President Moody Coming to Discuss Project--Stock is Yet Needed.

Prospects for securing the big rolling mill industry in Fort Wayne are regarded as very favorable, though not all the stock necessary has yet been subscribed. The committee has secured a brief extension of the time option upon the property, and is laboring assiduously to get the necessary $87,500 subscribed.

It is felt that with the coveted prize so near it would be a lamentable misfortune were the effort to fail for the lack of a few thousand dollars worth of stock, and the committee is urging all who are in position to do so to come to the aid of the effort.

President Moody, who is at the head of the American Rolling Mill corporation, will arrive in the city tomorrow, and in the evening a meeting will be held at the Commercial club rooms. Mr. Moody will be glad to meet all who are in any way interested in securing the big industry for Fort Wayne, and will be prepared to give much interesting information concerning the business and its probable future.

CASSINI BLAMES JEWS OF RUSSIA

Russian Ambassador Says the Money Lenders are Cause of the Trouble.

THEY RUIN PEASANTRY

State Department Expects to Make No Move Through Diplomatic Channels.

Washington, May 18.—Count Cassini, the Russian ambassador, in a conversation today with a representative of the Associated Press relative to the Jewish troubles in Russia, said:

"There is in Russia as in Germany and Austria a feeling against certain of the Jews. The reason for this unfriendly attitude is found in the fact that the Jews will not work in the field or engage in agriculture. They prefer to be money lenders. Give a Jew a couple of dollars and he becomes a banker and money broker. In this capacity he takes advantage of the Russian peasant, whom he soon has in his power and ultimately destroys. It is when the patience of the peasant is exhausted that a conflict between peasants and Jews occurs. Ordinarily the Russian is a very patient person, but it is only natural that he should entertain a feeling of resentment for the one who has wrought his ruin.

"Emperor Nicholas I sought to help the Jew by ordering the establishment of agricultural colleges in southern Russia, hoping to induce the Jews to engage in agricultural pursuits instead of money lending, but the effort was not successful; nor have other projects establishing Jewish states been successful.

WHAT THE SITUATION IS.

"The situation in Russia so far as the Jews are concerned is just this: It is the peasant against the moneylender and not the Russians against the Jews. There is no feeling against the Jew in Russia because of religion. It is as I have said—the Jew ruins the peasants with the result that conflicts occur when the latter have lost all their worldly possessions and have nothing to live upon.

"There are many good Jews in Russia and they are respected. Jewish genius is appreciated in Russia and the Jewish artist is honored. Jews also appear in the financial world in Russia.

"The Russian government affords the same protection to the Jews that it does to any other of its citizens, and when a riot occurs and Jews are attacked the officials immediately take steps to apprehend those who begun the riot and visit severe punishment upon them. In the past Russians have been punished severely for attacks upon Jews. But owing to these conflicts the Jews continue to do the very things which have been responsible for the troubles which involve them."

CANNOT MIX WITH JEWS.

Continuing the conversation, the ambassador said: "The Russian readily assimilates with the people of all other races, and if he cannot assimilate with the Jew it is apparent that the fault must lie with the Jew and not with the Russian."

The ambassador's attention was called to the statement contained in press dispatches from St. Petersburg today to the effect that a ministerial decree had been issued forbidding the Jews arming themselves for their own protection. "I have received no information regarding the nature of the decree," he said, "but I know that when the facts are made known it will appear differently and will be shown that the decree does not discriminate against the Jews. The fact that Lieutenant General Raaben, the governor of Bessarabia, has been called to St. Petersburg shows conclusively that the imperial authorities are seriously regarding the recent occurrences at Kishineff and are taking prompt measures to punish the guilty and to prevent repetitions of these disturbances."

NOTHING CAN BE DONE.

Washington, May 18.—None of the many resolutions relative to the Kishineff outbreak adopted yesterday at various places in the United States has reached the state department and the officials have nothing new before them upon which to proceed. It is not known whether further instructions have been sent to our embassy at St. Petersburg. So far the department has before it only newspaper clippings describing the Kishineff massacre, and it scarcely feels authorized to move upon that basis, even if it had the power to do so. Admitting a desire to investigate in disregard of the formal assurance of the Russian government to Ambassador McCormick, the department would probably have to content itself with the sworn statements of refugees from Kishineff.

To procure information through the American embassy or the American consuls in Russia would probably render our diplomatic agents persona non grata in case they should cast doubt upon the official Russian statements.

The brief cablegram from St. Petersburg this morning might open the way for diplomatic action on the part of the United States in this matter. That statement said the Russian government had forbidden the Jews to arm or defend themselves, with a deliberate purpose of forcing them to emigrate to the United States, for nowhere in Europe could they find refuge. Such action would be similar to that taken by the Roumanian government upon which the state department laid down the doctrine that the dumping of hordes of emigrants likely to prove paupers upon our shores was obnoxious to the United States. In this connection it may be worth noting that in spite of the vigorous protest against Roumania's action contained in the state department's circular note to the powers, the Roumanian government never admitted our right to interfere ewen on the basis of immigration, and conditions continue very much as they were so far as the Jews in Roumania are concerned.

DEATH ENDS LONG PERIOD OF ILLNESS

Mrs. William Paap Succumbs to Bright's Disease--Other Mortuary Matters.

Mrs. Margaret Paap, wife of William Paap, a florist employed at the city greenhouses, died at 3:30 o'clock this morning at the family home, 2132 Oakley street, at the age of 61 years and 10 months. Death was due to Bright's disease, and it came as the termination of four years of illness.

Mrs. Paap was a native of Germany, but came with her parents to America when a mere babe. The family located in Michigan, which was her home until five years ago, when she removed to this city. She was twice married. Surviving are the husband and four children—the Misses Lottie and Lena Paap, of this city; George H. Anweiler, of Florida, and William Anweiler, of Fort Wayne. Four sisters and a brother also resides in Michigan.

The funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 1:30 from the residence and at 2 o'clock from Emmaus Lutheran church.

HERROLD.

John Herrold, a former resident of this county, died Saturday at Easthaven hospital for the insane at Richmond, from general paresis, at the age of 47 years.

The remains were shipped to this city this morning and taken to a cemetery near Arcola for interment.

MAGNER.

Mrs. Mary Louise Magner, wife of Eli Magner, died at 5:20 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the family home, 1340 East Lewis street, from tuberculosis. Mrs. Magner's age was 40 years and her death came as the termination of a long period of illness.

Mrs. Magner was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Marquardt, of Madison township, and was born and reared in this county. Surviving relatives include the husband and two children—Elmer, aged 14, and Alice L., aged 8, besides the parents, three brothers and four sisters. She was a devoted member of the English Lutheran church of the Redeemer, a most estimable woman and had many friends. The bereaved husband is a conductor for the Traction company, running on the Lewis street line.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence and at 2:30 from the English Lutheran church of the Redeemer.

FUNERAL NOTICES.

Sarrazin.—Funeral services of Miss Josephine Sarrazin will be held Tuesday morning at 8:30 from the residence in St. Joseph township, and at 9 o'clock from St. Michael's Catholic church.

The young lady is survived by her mother, six brothers and two sisters.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Walton M. Kensill and Ada M. Mehen.

CHINA IS UNDER RUSSIAN DURESS

She Cannot Open Manchurian Ports to Foreign Trade Though Willing.

IS PRESSED BY CONGER

American Cotton Goods Trade With Manchurian Ruined by Russia.

Pekin, May 18.—China, in reply to further representations of the United States and Japanese ministers, has again pointed out the impossibility of including in the commercial treaties the opening to trade of Manchurian towns on account of Russian opposition.

The American minister proposes that China open Mukden, Harbin and a small port at the mouth of the Yalu river.

C. C. Baldwin, of New York, a representative of the southern cotton mills, who has investigated the trade conditions in Manchuria, reports that the American cotton trade was increasing enormously until recently, when the Russians began to exert pressure upon the Chinese, amounting to coercion, for second orders for Russian firms amounting to 800,000 bales of good, which otherwise would have gone to America.

Mr. Baldwin says the foreign firms complain bitterly of the difficulty of conducting business under the Russian administration, and he believes that unless Russian absorption of Manchuria is checked the United States will be deprived of a most promising market for cottons within a few years.

NEW BOARD OF BREVETS.

Washington, May 18.—Brig. Gens. James F. Wade and Theodore J. Wint, Lieut. Col. Henry W. Hubbell, artillery corps, and Capt. A. C. Macomb, Fifth cavalry, have been constituted a board to consider the recommendation for brevets and medals of honor that have been submitted to the headquarters of the division of the Philippines. The period covered includes all operations in the Philippines and the board is to make such recommendations as it finds merited.

WILL GIVE AN OPERA.

The young ladies of Plymouth Congregational church are making preparations to give an opera, entitled "The Dress Rehearsal," in the Mulqueen academy the second week in June. A rehearsal will be held in the church parlors on Tuesday evening and those desiring to take part are requested to be present. The costumes and stage settings will be very handsome and the opera promises to be a great success. There will be thirty young ladies in the chorus.

IN BAD MISSOURI.

St. Louis, Mo., May 18.—State Superintendent of Schools W. T. Carrington was a witness today before the grand jury that is investigating legislative boodling. He was examined as to his knowledge of the use of money in connection with the passage or defeat of text book bills by the Missouri general assembly.

NORTHERN BAPTISTS GATHER IN BUFFALO

Woman's Home Mission Society Meeting There in Annual Convention.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 18.—The great national gathering of the Baptists of the northern states, from Maine to California, opened in the Prospect avenue Baptist church today with the 26th annual meeting of the Woman's Baptist Home Mission society, of which Mrs. J. N. Crouse, of Chicago, is president. The first session, workers' conference, was called to order shortly after 10 o'clock, when a praise service was held, followed by greetings and the announcement of committees. The meetings of this society will occupy two days and will be followed by meetings of the American Baptist Home Mission society, American Baptist Missionary union and American Baptist publication society. Many delegates have already arrived. The attendance is expected to be unusually large. A number of important questions are to be considered, including a plan of co-ordination of national societies.

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Huntington—West, 5:29, 6:29, 7:29, 8:29, 9:29 p. m.
Huntington—East, 5:35, 6:35, 7:35; 8:35 p. m.
Wabash—5:35, 6:35, 7:35 p. m.

Ticket good for return on date of sale only at following rates:

Fort Wayne to Huntington and return 50c
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This arrangement is made at the request of a large number of our patrons who desire, during the hot summer months, to enjoy a cool ride through the country in the evening, to visit Robison park at Fort Wayne and Boyd park at Wabash.

The last cars leave as follows: Fort Wayne, 10:05 p. m. westbound; Huntington, 9:35 p. m. east, 9:29 west; Wabash, 10:35 p. m. east.

ATTEND ...THE... Auction Sale TOMORROW

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POLICE COURT WAS VERY PERFUNCTORY

Three Sad-Eyed Jagsters Put Face to Face With Justice—The Police.

William Dothager, better known in society circles as "Barrelhouse Bill," acknowledged in police court this morning that he had been drunk and that it was not his first offense; the judge taxed him $5 and costs on the strength of his second admission.

John Lee seemed rather dazed as he heard the sixteen-day layoff read to his friend Bill and pleaded guilty to drunkenness in a very mild tone of voice. That didn't get him a thing, though, and he went over to board it out with Bill.

Peter Valter, of Aboit township, fared better. Peter explained that he took an overdose of Aboit snakeweed for toothache and then came to Fort Wayne to wear it off. The Fort Wayne brand was worse than the other and things looked rather blue for him until he mentioned that he was partly responsible for putting down the insurrection in the Philippines. When the judge heard him say soldier the patriotic instincts of army comradeship overcame him and he told the erring but then sober Mr. Valter to hie him back to Aboit in peace.

POLICE NOTES.

A call from the vicinity of the Western Gas Construction company's works yesterday stated that a gang of drunken rowdies were annoying the residents in the vicinity and were bombarding the works with empty beer bottles. A detail of four policemen was sent to the place, but no disturbance was on when they arrived and the intruders had gone away.

A bay horse distinguishable by the absence of one eye is reported missing from the Rockhill farm.

A Mrs. Graffe, a boarding house mistress, complained of Herbert Walton, saying that he had given her a fraudulent order on the Pennsylvania company for $8 in payment of a board bill. Walton was recently arrested with his father and jailed for drunkenness.

Officers Strodel and Elliott last night picked up a stray wheel apiece and stored them at the police station.

NEW POLICE RULES.

Superintendent Gorsline issued a circular to the police force on Sunday morning which is now in force. It instructs officers to make arrests in all cases where automobile drivers exceed eight miles per hour on the streets or four miles per hour in turning corners; in all cases where bicycle riders are found riding on the sidewalks at any time or without lights after 8 o'clock in the evening; privileges officers to discard their belts and clubs during the summer months and explicitly impresses the information that all officers will be held personally responsible for the enforcement of the letter as well as the spirit of the order.

The G. R. & I. R. R. will run an excursion to Garrett next Sunday, May 17, to the dedication of the new Sacred Heart Hospital. Train leaves south depot at 6:00 o'clock a. m. Fare for round trip 75c.

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IN NORTHERN INDIANA.

Mrs. Francis Mossman, a pioneer of Whitley county, died Saturday at the age of 85 years.

Mrs. Hueston, one of the oldest pioneers of Whitley county, is dead at South Whitley, aged eighty-five years.

Mrs. Raymond E. Willis, wife of the junior editor of the Angola Magnet, is dead after a long and painful illness.

Congressman Robinson will deliver the address at Albion, Noble county, on "old settlers' day," early in June.

Robert Fox, a pioneer of Elkhart township, Noble county, is dead from cancer of the throat. He was the father of W. A. Fox, superintendent of the Albion schools.

Mrs. Luther Twibell, wife of the first settler of Keystone, Wells county, died Saturday at the age of 91 years. Nearly her entire life had been spent in the village.

Miss Kitt Watts, of Decatur, attempted suicide Saturday afternoon by swallowing carbolic acid. She is in a critical condition. A love affair is said to have been the cause.

Mrs. Ed Wingfield, of Bluffton, who asserts that her husband was entirely too much devoted to the society of other women, administered a horsewhipping to that gentleman upon the streets Friday evening.

Judge Ferrall, of the Lagrange circuit court, has set aside the judgment for $5,000 recently rendered there against the Lake Shore railroad company in favor of Mrs. Mary Greenwait, who was injured at a crossing near Butler several years ago. The case was twice tried, once in DeKalb and in each instance the verdict was for the amount stated above. Judge Ferrall's decision was made on the ground that the verdict was inequitable and excessive.

Lee Weaver and Daniel Heffner, of Elkhart, were each fined $10 and costs for cutting down two shade trees. Heffner declared that he had been given permission to cut down the trees by a prominent official, but asserted that he would pay a fine for contempt of court before he would disclose the name of the official. Judge Raymer insisted that the information be given and Heffner finally stated that it was Trackmaster Worley, of the Lake Shore railroad.

Unknown persons attempted to destroy the Graham buggy factory at Ligonier Friday evening at 9 o'clock, having inserted a charge of dynamite beneath one of the walls. A considerable section of the building was wrecked, entailing a loss of about $500 to building and stock. There was no one in the building at the time, though Mr. Graham, the owner, was standing but a short distance away when the explosion occurred, and the hole where the explosive was placed, as well as the fuse, were readily discovered. A few months ago Graham received an anonymous letter demanding that he leave a certain sum of money at a designated place and threatening to do him and his business harm unless the demand was forthcoming. Graham paid no attention to the demand.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Getz spent Sunday in Decatur.

Mrs. Harry Woods is visiting her parents in Warsaw.

Alex Wood, a Purdue student, spent Sunday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Fisher have returned from a week's visit in Chicago.

Miss Cora Bryson, of Montpelier, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Rudy Heinrich.

Mrs. George Thompson will be hostess for the Nos Temps club on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Kimball and Miss Louise Kimball, of Chicago, are guests of Mrs. Helen Nelson.

Mrs. Ralph Taylor and her mother, Mrs. Ellen Higgins, have gone to West Baden for a few days.

Congressman Robinson has appointed Lane G. Harrison, of Auburn, as a naval cadet at Annapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh M. Beaver will entertain the Epworth league of the First M. E. church Tuesday evening.

Arthur Hibbins and Roy Tigar, of Chicago, spent Sunday in the city. Both young men formerly lived here.

Rev. Wambsganss preached the dedicatory sermon of the new Zion's Lutheran church at Decatur yesterday.

Theodore Thorward, of South Bend, who has been in the city for a few days on business, has gone to New Haven, Conn.

A meeting will be held this evening at the home of Samuel Bradshaw to form a lodge of colored Knights of Pythias.

Amos Prover, who has been critically ill from peritonitis at St. Joseph hospital, left that institution yesterday.

The sixth entertainment and dance of Miss Hanker's classes will be given in the Anthony Wayne club Friday evening.

Hon. W. P. Breen has presented a handsome medal to the golf club and a match will be played this summer for the trophy.

Mort Mergentheim, of Chicago, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of his parents. Mr. Mergentheim is practicing law in Chicago.

The Ministerial association met this morning in the First Presbyterian church. Rev. J. Webster Bailey read a paper on "Doctrine and Life."

Frank Gable, living south of the city, was accidentally shot in the leg Saturday while watching some boys at targent practice. Dr. Van Buskirk removed the bullet.

Arnold Curdes entertained the Alpha Kappa Phi fraternity on Saturday evening. The fraternity will give a dance Friday evening, May 29th, at Robison park pavilion and Shober's orchestra will play.

The Blacksmiths' union No. 222 gave a pedro party Saturday night in Hibernian hall. Prizes were won by Mrs. J. Hausbach and Alonzo Timmis and the consolations were awarded to Mrs. P. Huntine and Fred Lenz.

Miss Clara Dills, of Pomona, Cal., daughter of the late Dr. Dills, formerly of this city, is the guest of Mrs. C. M. Dawson for a few days. She will visit her aunt, Mrs. Hugh Kapp, of Bluffton, before returning home.

Mrs. Dr. Brock, Mrs. Ola Lucas and Miss Nell Graham, of Topeka, Kan., who have been visiting Mrs. Emma Jones left today for Columbus, Ohio, Miss Bertha Spellman, of Shelbyville, is Mrs. Jones' guest for two weeks.

Mrs. C. B. Woodworth, Mrs. Robert Harding, Mrs. J. P. Evans, Mrs. E. M. Wilson, Mrs. O. N. Guldlin, Mrs. W. E. Davis and Mrs. H. A. Blynn leave tomorrow for Crawfordsville to attend the convention of women's clubs.

Miss Belle Gultzberger, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was the guest of honor at a small company given Saturday afternoon by Mrs. Ida Rothschild. A guessing contest, in which the prize was won by Miss Frank, was followed by supper.

A recital will be given in the Masonic Temple theater on Friday evening, under the auspices of the Nocturne club, and the artists will be George Hamlin, tenor, and W. C. Seeboeck, pianist, both of Chicago. The recital is open to the public.

Miss Jessie MacLachlan has gone to Portland, Ind., to attend the wedding of Miss Oral Adams, who has visited here a number of times and is well known in the city. The groom is Hobart Scott, of Lima, Ohio, and the wedding will take place Thursday. Miss MacLachlan will be one of the bridesmaids.

Miss Zimmerdorf, living on Wagner street, was knocked down by a horse and painfully injured while waiting for a Spy Run avenue car on Saturday night. The horse took fright at a car and shied, striking Miss Zimmerdorf and throwing her to the pavement with considerable force. She soon recovered and was able to board the car and go home.

The following Fort Wayne students will be graduated in June: Burns Douglass, from Dartmouth; Fred Shoaff, from Columbia; Ralph Lane, from the literary department of Ann Arbor; Clyde Driesbach, from Indiana; Ernest Field, from Granville; Miss Margaret Wagenhals, from Smith college, and Miss Virginia Carnahan, from Ingleside seminary, at New Milford, Conn.

Mrs. Theodore Ruhland, Mrs. Clark Fairbank and Mrs. T. E. Ellison went to Rochester, N. Y., this morning to attend the convention of the National Federation of Musical clubs. Mrs. Ruhland will play at one of the recitals, and on the 24th will go to New York. She sails on the 26th for Germany to spend the summer. Miss Mourier will join Mrs. Ruhland in New York.

Rose and Carnation Sale still continues at Vesey's Greenhouses.

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IN JUSTICES' COURTS.

Robert Carnahan, for the W. L. Carnahan Co., has commenced criminal action against Charles Smith and Emma Lee, of Huntertown, for obtaining goods under false pretense. The complaint alleges that Emma Lee qualified to being worth more than $1,500 above her indebtedness and on the strength of that qualification purchased a number of pairs of boots and shoes of the plaintiff, which have not yet been paid for; and which account is uncollectable. The suit is in Tancey's court.

John W. Noyer, of Aboit township, has filed three affidavits in Tancey's court charging George Swalm with tresspass and for surety of the peace; no arrests have yet been made.

CYCLISTS ARRESTED.

The first fruits of the superintendent of police's order relating to bicycle riding on the sidewalks ripened this afternoon, when two young men were arrested for violation of the ordinance. Their wheels were accepted as bond and they are expected to explain matters to the police court judge in the morning. A solitary, weary drunk was the other result of police vigilance today.

Call and see those elegant Trimmed Hats that are being sold at reduced prices this week at 1022 Barr St. Mrs. O. G. Schell. 18t2

MANY WENT TO THE PARK.

The unusually warm weather yesterday, together with the fact that there was to be a band concert, attracted a very large crowd to Robison park yesterday, and it was found necessary to put several additional cars in service to accommodate the crowd. The early morning cars carried many fishermen to the park and quite a large number of picnickers went out in the morning and spent the day at the resort. The City band rendered a fine program from 3 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon. A large percentage of the crowd was made up of excursionists from neighboring towns and cities.

INGRAIN CARPET SALE,

Cheap, at Berry Street Church from 9 o'clock to 5 p. m.

DIRECTORS GO EAST.

Henry C. Paul and S. B. Fleming have gone to Philadelphia, where a meeting of the directors of the Fort Wayne traction company is to be held this week. Mr. Fleming has recently been elected a director of the Fort Wayne Electric works and will also attend a meeting of that company.

When doctors fail try Burdock Blood Bitters. Cures dyspepsia, constipation; invigorates the whole system.

Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, the household remedy.

No man can cure consumption. You can prevent it, though. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, asthma. Never fails.

Don't let the little ones suffer from eczema or other torturing skin diseases. No need for it. Doan's Ointment cures. Can't harm the most delicate skin. At any drug store, 50 cents.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Roswell Germain is quite sick with the grip.

Miss Mary Jones, of Wells street, has returned to the city after a three weeks' visit with relatives in Chicago.

Dr. C. E. Barnet returned this morning from Arlington, O., where he was called on professional business.

Thomas Snook has returned from a few days' fishing trip at Crooked lake.

Cases of scarlet fever were reported today from 1214 Swinney avenue and 1008 Home avenue.

Dr. Gerry Smith and grandson, Elby, are visiting in the city, the guests of Mrs. Herman Plock.

Mrs. A. B. Tousley will entertain the Social Pedro club Tuesday afternoon at her home, 2027 Oliver street.

The J. E. club will be entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George France, 124 East Leith street.

Mrs. Sharp, of West Superior street, will be hostess for the Athena Thimble club Tuesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Ed Pequignot left today for Lafontaine, Ind., to resume his duties after a few days' visit in the city.

Ed Joseph, of Belmont, W. Va., an experienced oil man and well contractor, is in the city. He is here for the purpose of looking over the New Haven field.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Jones returned last evening from Lafayette and other points in Tippecanoe county, where they were married fifty years ago and where they renewed old acquaintances and celebrated their anniversary most pleasantly.

The members of the Corodula club are planning to give a dance in Miss Hanker's academy in the near future. The members of the club are: B. Moran, J. Betzler, J. Monning, jr., D. Falvey, jr., L. Schirmeyer, C. Scheiman, G. Sheffler, R. Bedson, U. Bott and H. Fry.

B. R. T. CONVENTION.

Denver, Col., May 18.—The National Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen met in Coliseum hall in this city today. Between 600 and 700 delegates were present when Grand Master Morrissey rapped for order. The sessions of the convention are private and it is expected they will continue over two weeks. The time was taken up today in organizing.

The trainmen have been put to considerable inconvenience on account of the refusal of the striking draymen to haul their baggage from the depot, but it was announced that this matter would be adjusted this afternoon and that the brotherhood would then get their trunks.

INTERURBAN ATTORNEY HERE.

Wilbur L. Stonex, of Goshen, attorney for the proposed Fort Wayne and Goshen traction line, is in the city today in the interest of that enterprise.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY.

William H. Howe, of South Whitley, who has been doing business as the American Screen and Grille company, today filed in the federal court a petition in voluntary bankruptcy. The liabilities are $3,543.02, with assests of $1,412.60. Marshall, McNagny & Clugston are attorneys for the petitioner.

WILL RESUME WORK.

Melborne, Victoria, May 18.—The railroad strikers, by ballot today, decided by an overwhelming majority, to resume work on the government's terms.

CITY HALL NOTES.

The board of works is in session this afternoon transacting unimportant routine business.

Two new cases of scarlet fever were reported today from Home avenue and Swinney avenue.

Thirteen building permits were issued at the city hall since Saturday morning, most of them being for repairs or additions. The aggregate value of the improvements contemplated was $5,850.

TWO SMALL FIRES.

At 12:48 this afternoon the fire department was called out to extinguish a small fire in a two-story frame shed in the residence of Henry F. Wiebke, 424 East Washington street.

At 1:46 another run was made to the home of George Schott, 1018 West Berry street, where a small barn had caught fire from a burning rubbish heap. The damage will amount to $75. The barn of Mrs. Nelson, 1020 West Berry street, was slightly scorched.

Foley's Honey and Tar is peculiarly adapted for asthma, bronchitis and hoarseness. Sold by Dreier & Bro., Pellens & Polster.

The Epworth League of the First M. E. church is to be entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Beaver, 830 Columbia avenue, and members are requested to bring with them their first photographs taken in babyhood.

HAVE YOU HAD YOUR ABILENA

THE ONLY AMERICAN NATURAL CATHARTIC WATER.

Not "man-made" but nature's gift for the cure of Constipation, whether chronic or acute. Action natural—no pain, no gripe. At your Druggist. Large bottle, 35c.; small bottle. 15 Cents.

The People's Store.

EXCEPTIONAL SHOWING OF THIS SEASON'S NEWEST AND BEST STYLES IN

SHIRT WAISTS,
SHIRT WAIST SUITS,
PARASOLS,
SUMMER UNDERWEAR.

A magnificent showing of all that's new and good in seasonable goods, an unrivaled assortment, at prices which mean money saved by buying here. Novel effects in New White Summer Shirt Waists, dainty, cool fabrics, garnished with elaborate open work inserting, lace effects, etc., or plain hemstitched and tucked effects, at 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25, $1.50, $1.69, $1.90, $2.25, $2.50 up to $5.

Colored Shirt Waists in Linen effects, fancy Ginghams, Dimities, etc., at 50c, 75c, 98c, $1.25, $1.39 up to $1.75.

You have not seen a real good assortment of New Shirt Waists if you have not seen our display.

Shirt Waist Suits.

Our assortment of these popular Summer Wash Suits embraces all the good, practical kind, the kind that's easily washed and ironed and at the same time gives you style as well as comfort on a hot day.

Shirt Waist Suits in Black and White, Blue and White, Pink, Light Blue, Linen and White P. K., at $2.50, $2.90, $2.98, $3.50, and upwards.

Shirt Waist Suits in Mohair, Brilliantine, etc., in Blue, White or Black at $7.90.

Silk Shirt Waist Suits in Blue and White, $13.50 to $17.50.

Summer Underwear.

In Summer Underwear you want the best. We have the best, and can sell it to you at a much lower price than you can get the same in any other store. Here are some Knit Underwear items of money saving importance to everybody:

Ladies' low neck, sleeveless Underwear, 10c and 12 1-2c each.
Ladies' extra large size, sleeveless, low neck, 15c each.
Ladies' low neck, short sleeve underwear, white, 15c and 19c each.
Ladies' white Lisle, low neck and sleeveless Underwear, 25c, 39c, 50c, $1.00 and $1.25 each.
Ladies' Lisle Corset Covers, long sleeve or sleeveless, 25c and 50c.
Ladies' Knit Umbrella Drawers, 19c 25c, 50c.
Men's gauze Shirts and Drawers, 25c each.
Men's natural mixed Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 39c.
Men's Ecru French Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 50c each.
Men's Colored Japanese Silk Shirts and Drawers, $1.
Men's Balbriggan Union Suits, $1.
Children's Sleeveless Gauze Vests, 10c and 25c.
Children's short sleeve, high or low neck Vests, 15c.
Boys' ecru ribbed Shirts and drawers, 25c each.

SPECIAL—Two cases of Men's Soft Front Summer Shirts, made of fine Madras and Pique cloth, go on sale at 50c, 75c, $1, $1.25 each. Every one worth from 50c to 75c more.

Parasols, Sun Umbrellas.

The largest assortment and handsome variety of Parasols and Sun Umbrellas on display here makes it necessary for you to see our line before purchasing. Styles were never more charming, prices were never so reasonable as now.

250 Ladies' 26-inch Sun Umbrellas, Oxydized handles, cheap at $1.50, go on sale at 79c each.

Ladies' Colored Twill Silk Umbrellas, all shades, a regular $3 number, go at $2.38.

150 White China Silk Parasols, bargain price, 98 cents each.

Ladies' Fancy China Silk Parasols, colored borders, hemstitched; cheap at $2, go on sale at $1.50.

Fancy Parasols, in an endless variety of colors, black and white, grey and novelty effects, an assortment not to be seen anywhere else, at $1.98, $2.50, $2.90, $3.50, $3.90.

Children's Fancy Parasols, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25.

We are still selling all our Tailor-Made Suits and Cloth Jackets at one-quarter off regular prices.

The People's Store.

Want a Glass of Soda

THE KIND THAT REALLY QUENCHES THE THIRST?

It's cold—ice cold—the syrups are made from pure fruit juices. The carbonated water contains just enough gas to make it sparkle and give it that sharp taste. Then the way it's served. Clean, thin glasses—a chair to sit on while you are drinking—drawn from a fountain that's clean and attractive.

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Highest cash price paid for second-hand shoes and men's clothing. Please drop me a postal card and I will call on you.

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814 BARR STREET.

To introduce, we will sell until May 31, the one dollar size of

KIN'S NEW NERVE --AND-- BLOOD TONIC

FOR 38c.

Positively only one bottle to each person. We do this to prove that Kin's New Nerve and Blood Tonic will cure

Nervousness, Sleeplessness, Dizziness, Brain Fag, Nervous Headache, Fainting, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Biliousness.

Will build up the entire system and make Rich Red Blood.

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Our terms and rates are such as can not be equaled in the state.

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We make loans on monthly payments, too. You have from one month to a year to pay your loan.

IT ALL DEPENDS ON YOURSELF HOW MUCH YOUR LOAN WILL COST YOU.

All business private and confidential. We have private offices for transaction of business. No trouble for us to give you full particulars as to our plans of making loans.

CALL, WRITE, OR 'PHONE US TO CALL.

INDIANA MORTGAGE LOAN CO.

ROOM 3, ARCADE, UPSTAIRS.
Home 'Phone 995.

MASS MEETING TO BE HELD TUESDAY NIGHT

Jews of Fort Wayne to Unite in Protest Against Recent Massscre in Russia.

The Jewish people of Fort Wayne will hold a big mass meeting in the Hebrew temple, corner of Wayne and Harrison streets, on Tuesday evening to protest against the recent horrible massacre of their brethren in Kischineff, Russia. The meeting is not for Jews alone, but an invitation is extended to everyone to attend.

The atrocious butchery of the czar's Hebrew subjects has roused the indignation of every civilized country in the world and Jew and Gentile everywhere unite in protest against the massacre of defenseless men, women and children by the fanatical Russian mob. Thousands have been made homeless and are without food or money, and are in need of assistance, and at the meeting tomorrow evening, steps will be taken to render practical assistance to the sufferers.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mrs. O. P. Eversole is the guest of her father in Warsaw.

Miss Helen Jones is spending a few days the guest of friends in Monroeville.

Manager W. M. Klinkel, of the Douglas shoe store, spent Sunday with friends in Butler.

J. H. Orr, assistant cashier of the First National bank, is confined to his home by an affection of the eyes.

A large party of Fort Wayne Lutherans went to Decatur yesterday to attend the dedication of Zion's Lutheran church.

Miss Jessie Fleming, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. Budman Fleming, will go to Chicago this week to take up her vocal studies.

The ladies of the Per Se club and their husbands were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Morgan Saturday evening.

Olive, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Spalding, of Washington boulevard, fell downstairs Saturday evening and sustained a severe sprain of her arm.

I. E. Allen has been awarded the contract for the erection of a residence for E. D. Gaston at Dearborn street and Columbia avenue. Work was begun upon the house today.

Ed Reitze, who has been in England for some time in the interests of James Stewart & Co., contractors, has arrived in New York and will be home this week to spend a week with his parents.

The woman's bible meeting of the Wayne street M. E. church will be held Tuesday evening in the Sunday school room, Mrs. Lem R. Hartman, leader. Lesson, I Samuel 22-22.

Mrs. James Smith has gone to Minneapolis on a visit. On her return she will be accompanied by her daughter, Miss Esther Smith, who has been taking a special university course.

Dr. G. W. McCaskey has returned from Washington, D. C., where he attended a meeting of the American Gastro-Enterological association. Dr. McCaskey read a paper dealing with his experiences with 600 cases of gastritis.

A wagon of the Pacific Express company and another belonging to the 'bus barns were in a lively collision at Calhoun and Columbia streets at 9 o'clock this morning. There was but little damage, but the accident occasioned much excitement for a short time.

The Hartman bathing resort was thrown open to bathers yesterday and a large number took advantage of the opportunity to disport themselves in the cooling waters of Delta lake. Many improvements have been made by Hartman Bros. this season and Delta lake promises to be very popular this summer.

The J. E. club will meet tomorrow afternoon at the residence of Mrs. George France, 124 East Leith street.

Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Ames, of Muncie, were among the excursionists to the city yesterday. Mrs. Ames remained to visit for a week and will be the guest of Mrs. R. Ames, of 137 Masterson avenue.

The ladies of Mad Anthony hive No. 27, L. O. T. M., will give a dance and pedro party in Mulqueen hall and they have prepared a novel entertainment. It will be known as a "calico hop" and to carry out the idea the invitations have been printed on red and white calico and the program covers will be of the same material. The hall will be handsomely decorated in the club colors, red and white, and punch will be served. The Annex orchestra will play.

REV. W. W. ANDERSON, GRAFTER

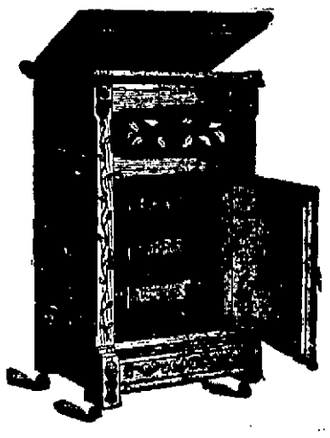
A man giving the name of Rev. W. W. Anderson has been victimizing several of the Methodist Episcopal ministers of the Fort Wayne district recently and Rev. W. H. Daniel, the presiding elder of this district, has received several inquiries concerning him. The man has a letter with Rev. Daniels' signature forged to it, appointing him to the Butler charge. The fellow called on Rev. George Smith, of Indianapolis, recently, and asked Rev. Smith to cash a check for $25, signed by Anderson's brother in Shelbyville. The check was returned with the information that no person of that name lived in Shelbyville, and Rev. Smith was out $25 and the protest charges, $2.54. Rev. Edward P. Jewett, of Greenwood, was another victim. Anderson showed him the letter said to have been signed by Rev. Daniel, together with a certificate of ordination signed by Bishop H. W. Warren, and borrowed $5. He spent the night at the hotel in Greenwood and left without settling his bill. Rev. T. F. Frech is the pastor of the Butler M. E. church, and has filled the pulpit there four years. He was returned at the last conference.

JUST TO TEMPT YOU

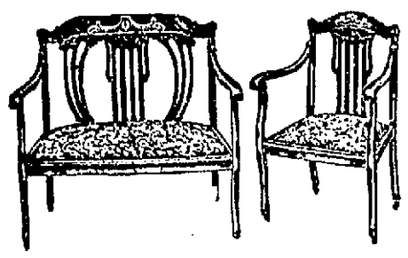
To open your account with us this month we have cut the prices on hundreds of different articles to such low figures that it would bankrupt any other concern to follow in our footsteps. We have told you before and we tell you again, that we want to make this the banner month.

YOUR CREDIT IS GOOD.

$10 For A Splendid Refrigerator
With 50 Pounds Ice Capacity.
CASH OR CREDIT.



A Good Ice Chest
Best Make, with 50 lbs. ice capacity. Cash or Credit **$4.65**



This Pretty 3-piece PARLOR SUIT
Cash or Credit . . **$15.75**

It is made of fine mahoganized, solid, substantial frame, covered in three tone Velours, solidly built and well worth $25.

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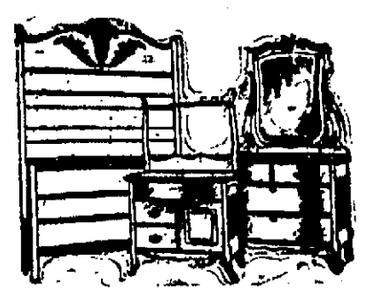
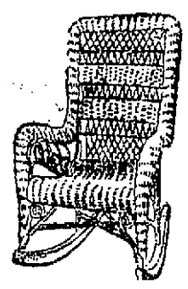
We handle none save with sanitary construction, which we will cheerfully explain to you in person.



$14.85 For Antique Oak or Mahogany-finished BED ROOM SUITS.

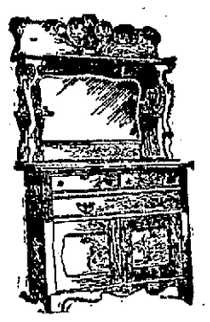
A substantially built bed, a genteel dresser with swinging plate mirror and a good wash stand.

REED ROCKER $2.65



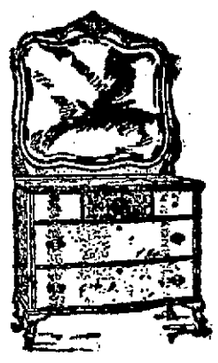
You will observe it has the full roll, durably built and this is only one of the many bargains in this department.

SIDEBOARD $10.85



Well finished, hard wood, French bevel plate mirror, easily worth $15.

HANDSOME OAK DRESSER $14.85

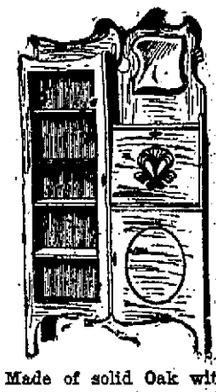


This is a special offer. There are twenty of them, not like the one illustrated, but each just as fine.

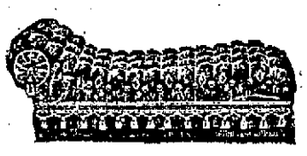
CHINA CLOSET $15.75

Eighteen different styles from which to select. Some lower priced than this and some higher priced, but this $15.75 one is indeed a dandy.

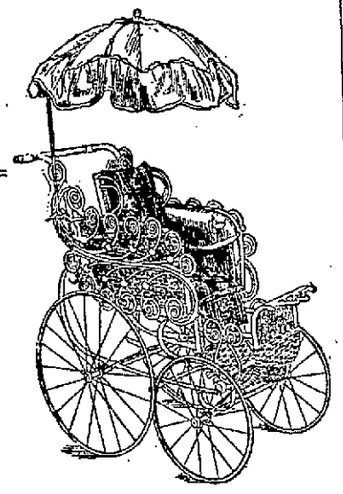
BOOK CASE $12.75



Made of solid Oak with writing desk and book case combined. A complete and handy article, well worth $18.



We have the largest and handsomest assortment of Couches in Fort Wayne. This pretty velour covered Couch, like cut, tastily fringed, worth $10, for . . . $5.95



Baby Carriages

The handsomest line in the city. More than fifty styles from which to select, and the best makes, as you must admit when you thoroughly examine the lines Cash or credit, too.

GO-CARTS START AS LOW AS

$3.75

And Reach Up to the Best Made.

Our Carpets

Ours is not the biggest line by far, but it is the best selected and it is priced reasonable.

We have Ingrain Carpet as low as 35c.

We have Brussels Carpet as low as $1.00.

We have Velvet Carpet as low as $1.25.

MANTEL FOLDING BED $14.35

Finely finished, well polished, durably made. Has good steel springs. Not another house in the city will offer you the same, under $18.

COMPLIMENTED MISS WHEELOCK

Concerning the work of Miss Gara Wheelock, who took part in the recital given by the graduates of the musical department of the Virginia Female Institute at Staunton, Va., the Staunton paper says:

"Miss Wheelock opened the concert with part of Beethoven's Sonata Pathetique. The sublime plaintive strains of the introduction made it at once apparent that 'all through, the keys gave their sounds to a wish of her soul.' In the subsequent group of smaller pieces by Tschaikowski and Chopin she interpreted finely the composers' conceptions. As the evening advanced Miss Wheelock seemed to warm to her task, the many sympathetic demonstrations of her auditors, no doubt, inspiring her with confidence and enthusiasm. In Rubinstein's lovely Andante in A minor Miss Wheelock showed herself a well equipped pianist, and brought out the difficult trills and left-hand melody to splendid effect. The best effort, however, was the Finale from Mendelssohn's famous concerto in G minor. In it the brilliant side of her well-rounded training found fullest scope for display; trying octaves, runs and many other difficulties abound in it, and it is no small praise to say that she mastered them well."

MATTERS IN BANKRUPTCY.

Henry J. Beuret, of this city, occupation, office clerk, today filed a petition in voluntary bankruptcy in the federal court. Mr. Beuret schedules his liabilities as $11,745.89, with assets of but $365. He was formerly in business in this city. Breen & Morris are attorneys for the petitioner.

In the bankruptcy matter of Erma Lee, owner of a general store at Huntertown, creditors have discovered property of the bankrupt located at Muncie and Blountsville, which Referee Harris has directed to be turned over to the temporary custodian, J. E. Ballou. Referee Harris says it is not yet known whether the property in question was included in the schedule filed or not.

IN MILITARY CIRCLES.

Major J. E. Miller will inspect the property of battery B this evening. Major Miller is acting by appointment of the adjutant general, and the work is preparatory to the supplying of new uniforms for the artillerymen.

Company D, Third regiment, will hold an election this evening to fill the first and second lieutenancies, made vacant by the advancement of the officers.

B'NAI B'RITH ELECTS.

Omaha, Neb., May 18.—The annual convention of the sixth district Jewish order of B'Nai B'Rith today devoted itself to matters coming up by resolution and to reports. The following officers were elected:

President—J. L. Strelitsky, Grand Rapids, Mich.

First Vice President—J. Levinson, Peoria.

Second Vice President—I. Goldberg, Kalamazoo, Mich.

Secretary—E. P. Hamburgher, Chicago, re-elected.

Treasurer—David Fisher, Chicago.

The new court of appeals is composed of Simeon Bloom, Omaha; Charles Neusbaum, Petersburg, Ill.; Wm. Sempliner, Bay City, Mich.; Charles L. Aarons, Milwaukee, and Wm. S. Newberger, Chicago.

Try The Sentinel Want Column.

A BANNER BARGAIN WEEK.

SUMMER STOCKS ARE NOW AT THEIR BEST—VALUES WERE NEVER AS GOOD OR PRICES SO LOW AS RIGHT NOW—EVERY DEPARTMENT IS SHOWING NEW GOODS SPECIAL PRICED FOR THIS WEEK'S SELLING.

UNDERWEAR SPECIALS.

Men's fancy and Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, no such values anywhere else, at 25c and 50c a garment.

Men's Jersey Ribbed Balbriggan Union Suits, worth $1.50, at $1.00 a suit.

1 case Ladies' 39c Union Suits at 25c.

1 case Ladies' 15c Vests at 10c.

HOSIERY BARGAINS.

1 case Ladies' Black Hose, with white feet, worth 15c, at only 10c a pair.

1 case Ladies' Lace Hose, a regular 25c value, at 15c a pair.

UMBRELLAS, CORSETS AND GLOVES.

100 Colored Silk Umbrellas, worth $2.00, at $1.39.

1 case 39c Batiste Corsets at 25c.

1 case 50c Summer Corsets at 39c.

100 doz. Mercerized Silk Gloves, all colors, a regular 39c quality, at only 25c a pair.

New Baby Bonnets, Baby Jackets, Children's White and Gingham Dresses, Muslin Underwear and Ladies' Shirt Waists all at prices a little lower here than anywhere else.

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BY E. A. K. HACKETT.

MONDAY, MAY 18, 1903.

TONIGHT.

Unions—Cigarmakers, No. 37; Barbers, No. 14; Machinists, No. 70; Tailors, No. 118; Locomotive Firemen, No. 141; Carpenters and Joiners, No. 232; Lathers, No. 34; Painters and Decorators, No. 39.

Miscellaneous—Caledonian society; Union Veteran Legion, Encampment No. 51.

Fraternal—Sol D. Bayless, F. and A. M.; Bethany Court, No. 41, Tribe of Ben Hur; Fort Wayne, No. 14, I. O. O. F.; Phoenix, No. 101, K. of P.; Modern Woodmen, Camp 4761; Knights of Columbus; Fort Wayne Homestead, No. 376, Brotherhood of American Yeomen; Summit Encampment, No. 16, I. O. O. F.

Masonic Temple—This week:
Thursday night—Effie Ellser in "When Knighthood was in Flower."

Broadway Theater—Hoyt & Weaver Stock company all week.
Tonight—"A True Kentuckian."

The trouble in Mindanao seems to be that the natives refuse to stay licked. There is no way of dealing with bullheadedness like that.

The president is reported to be somewhat fagged by his sight-seeing in the west. And Secretary Root expects the president to shake up or shake down General Miles as soon as the western tour is over.

The Ames case in Minneapolis has been rounded out with a very fair degree of justice. In spite of the sentiment of pity the man's condition is calculated to arouse, he has been dealt with much as an ordinary criminal might have been.

The Philadelphia newspapers are openly and flagrantly defying Governor Pennypacker and the new libel law. Just what wisdom there is in such a course is hard to see. The law is vicious, but the law none the less, and in openly defying it and treating the governor with contemptuous attention, the newspapers are getting mighty near to a point where the governor can say the law was needed.

The warden of the Ohio penitentiary has resigned because he is obliged to switch on the current when a murderer is to die by electricity. As a matter of fact it is a licklish sort of job for a sensitive man and most of us would rather have something else, at less pay, with more comforting reflections. The office of executioner is not one of many allurements, though there are certain features about electrocution that rob the method of much of the gruesomeness of taking life by the rope.

Mr. Tulloch throws dirt upon the fair repute of Perry S. Heath, late of Indiana, and the postoffice department. In his charges filed with the postmaster general Tulloch specifies Heath's irregularities. All this in spite of the fact that a few weeks ago Mr. Heath journeyed from Salt Lake to Washington to announce that there had been nothing wrong in his administration of the assistant postmaster general's office and that anybody who said to the contrary would be held to strict account. Evidently Tulloch thinks he can "make good."

The result of the democratic primaries at Indianapolis is known and the chief feature of it is the defeat of Hon. J. W. Kern for city chairman. Kern's defeat spells turndown for ex-Mayor Taggart, who had hoped to maintain his control of the party through Kern's election. Keach, the successful candidate, announced his candidacy some months ago with the distinct and avowed purpose of smashing the Taggart machine. It looked then like a rather hopeless proceeding, but the result shows how little popular sentiment can be calculated upon. Tom Taggart is a good fellow and amazingly popular with all classes of all political parties, but the ancient and unbroken rule of his machine in the party had grown tiresome and so his machine is sent to the scrap pile. The ex-mayor is one of the most skillful politicians in the country and has genius for organization and work, but all that sort of thing counts for little and sometimes for nothing when the masses of the party are not "in with it." Office is looked upon as a desirable thing by most men and the proper object of the common aspiration of men. The crowd gets tired of seeing the same little coterie all the time controlling the offices, choosing the men who shall go into them and selecting others to be trained forthe succession.

MR. MAXWELL HONORED.

G. W. Maxwell, of this city, was elected a member of the executive committee of the United Commercial Travelers at the meeting of the grand council at Terre Haute, which closed Saturday. The following officers were elected: Grand councillor, William Morris, Anderson; grand junior councillor, George S. Custer, sr., Terre Haute; grand past councillor, A. B. Harless, Indianapolis; grand secretary, E. Johnson, Indianapolis; grand conductor, G. G. Esterbrook, Indianapolis; grand treasurer, T. M. Thompson, Indianapolis; grand page, H. A. Pritchett, Terre Haute; grand sentinel, H. T. Cooper, Evansville; executive committee, Joseph E. Herrings, Anderson; A. L. Fleckner, Evansville, and G. W. Maxwell, Fort Wayne.

The next meeting of the grand council will be held at Indianapolis the first Friday and Saturday in May, 1904.

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YOUNG LAWYERS BANQUET.

The Blackford Law club, consisting of the younger members of the bar in the city, held their fourth annual banquet in the Wayne hotel on Saturday evening. Creighton Williams presided and introduced the speakers. Those who responded to toasts were: Judge Owen N. Heaton, "Sapiens Judex;" William A. Ferris, "The Triumph of Justice;" Judge Frank S. Roby, Auburn, "Responsibilities;" Lee J. Ninde, "Fraternalism in Law;" Henry Colerick, "The Practice."

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Mrs. George Smith and Mrs. James A. Richardson are in Indianapolis attending the Rebekah assembly, as delegates from Queen Esther lodge, this city.

W. J. HOSEY CONTINUES DISCUSSION OF ELECTRIC LIGHTING FRANCHISE

Editor of The Sentinel: In his communication of January 6th, 1902, to the board of public works, Mr. White, the principal owner of the stock of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company, stated that the gross receipts of the company was more than $100,000 per year. The mayor, in his message to the common council on the 24th of April, 1902, submitted a proposition of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company to sell its plant to the city, and stated that the managers of that company had represented to him that the net profits of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company was $65,000 per year over and above the runnig expenses and repairs. If those profits have been existing for ten years, saying nothing of the profits of the other nine years during which the company has had contracts with the city, the people have paid to that company $650,000 in the way of net profits over and above the running expenses and repairs. If the net profits have been $65,000 in years past, of course they would be much larger in the future years as the city increases in size, and a great portion of the new houses are wired for the use of electric lights. With such enormous profits in the past and the promise of increased profits in the future, it is not very strange that money and threats and all sorts of methods are used to defeat candidates for the common council opposed to the continuance of the wrong upon the people and the city and for the election of councilmen who are favorable to the contract asked.

UPON WHAT CAPITAL?

The original stock of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company was $50,000, and I have been informed that the whole of that amount was not paid in in cash. The balance of the cost of the plant, whatever that may be, has been paid from the revenues of the plant and possibly a mortgage put upon the plant. Not long prior to the death of Mr. McDonald the stock was increased $50,000, the additional $50,000 being called dividende stock. That was divided around among the stockholders without the payment of anything on their part.

In the proposition of the Jenney Electric Light and Power company to sell its plant to the city, signed by Mr. White as president, and dated April, 1902, it was stated that the capital stock of the company was $100,000; that its bonded indebtedness was $135,000. It was further stated that surplus earnings of the plant, approximating $200,000, had been invested in betterments and extensions since the incorporation of the company. It was further stated in the communication and proposition that upon the earning capacity of the plant the stated cost was not more than half of its value. In other words, the statement was that they have been making profits on double the amount that the plant cost. These profits on the double valuation have been paid by the people of Fort Wayne. The $200,000 surplus, which it is stated has gone into the plant, was also paid by the people of Fort Wayne. About $50,000 in money, apparently, was put into the plant by the stockholders. The balance that has gone into the plant, whatever that may be, was surplus earnings paid by the people, and a mortgage upon the plant, which is yet unpaid. So that, upon an actual investment of about $50,000 in money, the stockholders have been reaeping a net profit of $65,000 per year over and above operating expenses and repairs. There should be deducted from that the interest on the bonds, which at 6 per cent. would make $8,100 per year, unless the managers intended to include that in the operating expenses. It has frequently been charged that all of the money procured on the mortgage did not go into the plant, nor, indeed, to the company. But very few of the original stockholders are stockholders now. At the time of Mr. McDonald's death the capital stock of $100,000 represented the entire property of the plant, and he owned considerably more than a majority of that sock. If, in fact, $50,000 was originally paid in cash, which went into the plant, and if, in fact, surplus earnings to the amount of about $200,000 went into the plant, and if, in fact, the amount of the mortgage went into the plant, the cost of the plant was about $385,000, and the $100,000 stock represented the total value of the plant, and each $100 of stock represented $260. The sale of McDonald's stock does not tally with the assertion that $385,000 has ever gone into the plant. McDonald's stock was sold to J. W. White at 47 cents on the dollar.

That sale was made upon an appraisement. Mr. Guild was one of the appraisers. He is now a stockholder, and with other stockholders insisted soon after the sale of the McDonald stock, that the city should buy the plant for about $425,000, and is now, with other stockholders, insisting that the city shall enter into a contract that will enable the present and prospective stockholders to make $65,000 net profit per year for the present, and more in the future, as the city shall increase in size. He and other stockholders are now insisting that the city, and people, shall pay enough per year to make a large dividend on a capital stock of $500,000. Whether some of the later stockholders got their stock from Mr. White at 47 cents on the dollar, the same as he paid, I have no way of knowing to a certainty. It is quite sure that a number of the present stockholders did not own stock prior to the death of Mr. McDonald. I have reasons to believe that some of the new stockholders, or prospective stockholders, have not paid for the stock, or at least have paid but a small amount, and that their purchase of stock is conditioned upon the new contract being entered into by the city, and that then they are to have new stock to be issued at about 40 cents on the dollar.

The present plant is operating about 325 street lights, and according to the statements of some of the parties, is operating about 30,000 incandescent lights. If we are to judge from other cities, a plant operating these number of lights will not cost, by a large sum, the amount which it is now claimed is in the Fort Wayne plant.

A report of a committee of the council, consisting of sixteen members, and made in September, 1902, shows that the plant in the city of Logansport operates 25,000 incandescent and 185 street lights of 2,000 candle power, besides several hundred incandescent lights in public buildings, and that that plant cost $150,000. That report was made after a thorough investigation.

Whatever the present Fort Wayne plant may have cost, it is sure that all, except about $50,000 in money, and possibly the amount of the $135,000 mortgage, has been contributed by the city of Fort Wayne and its people, in the way of exorbitant rates for street, commercial and domestic lights. Either the stockholders unreasonably exaggerate the cost of the plant, or they are not paying a reasonable amount of taxes. The valuation of that portion of the plant in Washington township for taxation is $35,600 and that portion in the city, in Wayne township, $28,200, making a total of $63,800 upon which taxes are paid. One of the advocates of the new contract, as reported in the News, stated before the Commercial club on the 12th of March last, that if the contract should be granted, the city would receive from the private company from $15,000 to $17,000 per year in taxes. The tax duplicates show that for state, county, township and city purposes that company is paying $1,398.33, and of that amount the city gets $200.

But very few, if any of the present stockholders are in a position to claim that they should have credit for the earnings that have gone into the plant; Mr. McDonald having owned a majority of the stock was entitled to a majority of the earnings, and whatever of his earnings went into the plant and added to it, were represented by his stock, and that stock, as already stated, has come into the possession of the present stockholders at 47 cents on the dollar.

THE PROPOSED CONTRACT.

There is no provision in the proposed contract for any reduction of charges for domestic and commercial lighting. So far as that contract is concerned, the charges are to go on as they have been, or they may be raised. That contract provides for a franchise of forty years, and a contract for lighting for ten years at $85 per each street light, on the Philadelphia schedule, which includes the lights on each tower. Upon the present basis of 324 lights, as stated in the contract, our cost for street lights under the contract would be $27,540 per year. In addition to this, upon the basis of a charge for lighting the city building for January last, $86.50, we should have $1,038 to pay for lighting the city building, making a total expense to the city for the present $28,578 per year, saying nothing of schools, engine houses, etc. Of course, that amount would be increased as the city shall increase in size and new lamps shall be placed, as they are now being and will in the future be called for. Under that contract for ten years the city will have paid out on the present number of lights and the lighting of the city building $285,780.

Much has been said about the offer of the company to pay to the city for the forty years franchise and the contract $120,000, payable in forty annual installments, which would be $3,000 per year, but as a condition to that there is a proviso "that the annual poll tax and other special tax levied by said city for which said second party (lighting company) would be liable shall be receipted for and considered fully paid by the payment of said annual installments." It has been claimed that the lighting company is now paying about $2,400 pole tax. It pays the amount per pole that the Western Union Telegraph company, the Pennsylvania company, and all other companies having poles in the city pay. What the "other special tax levied by the said city for which said second party would be liable" means I do not know. This offer to pay $3,000 a year for the franchise and contract on condition that the city shall cancel the pole tax and all other special taxes amounts to nothing, except possibly to mislead. It was manifestly made upon the theory that, if not now, very soon the pole tax and special tax would amount to as much as the lighting company is offering to pay per year for the franchise. A dry goods house might as well say, We will sell to the people so much cheaper if the city will cancel taxes against us to the amount of the reduction.

Upon the basis of paying its pole tax, as other companies pay, the contract amounts, aside from other special taxes to be cancelled, to $92.41 for each light. Upon that basis the city would pay for 324 lights $29,940.84 per year and $299,408.40 in ten years. Upon that basis we would pay for each light $20.62 more than the average that the other Indiana cities named are paying under contracts with private companies. On the present number of lights, 324, that would amount to $6,680.88 per year, or $66,808.80 for ten years, more than we would pay if we had a contract such as the other cities named have.

There is no provision in the proposed contract and franchise which would in any way authorize the city to interfere with the lighting company in the making and collecting of any charges that that company may see fit to make against and collect from private consumers during the forty years of the existence of the franchise. No informed man who has the interest of the city and people at heart could in any event support such an unreasonable and oppressive contract as proposed.

William J. Hosey.

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT.

The Luther society of St. John's Lutheran church will give a concert Wednesday night in the school hall, on Washington boulevard, and the following program will be rendered:

March—(a) "Give the Countersign" ..... W. H. Scouton

Overture—(b) "Americus" ..... Geo. Voelker

Orchestra of St. John's church.

English dialogue—"An Interrupted Birthday Party" .....

Characters—Mr. Hops (a retired merchant), Ed Jacobs; William (his nephew, a student at law), George Braun; Harry, Samuel, Arthur (his fellow students), John H. J. Immel, Herman Jacobs, Oswald Brudi; Peter (the servant), Arthur Young.

Soprano solo—"The City of Refuge" ..... Chas. E. Baer

Mrs. E. A. Bittler, accompanied by E. A. Bittler.

Japanese chorus—"Pinky Panky Poo" .....

Chorus—The Misses Lillian Korn, Rose Fuchshuber, Minnie Huser, Emelia Rothenberger, Sophie Jacobs, Hannah Bittler, Christina Spiegel, Emma Anweiler, Ella Streicher and Mathilda Brudi, and Arthur Young, Fred Schmidt, Charles Jacobs, Charles Zuber and Albert Gollmer.

Overture—"The Little Duchess" ..... L. Thomas

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Pick ..... Wm. A. Young

Plunk ..... Charles Zuber

German dialogue—"Karl hat Zahnschmertzen" .....

Characters—Karl, Albert Gollmer; Minne (geschwister), Miss Clara Reiling; Emma, Miss Louise Kaade; Frl. Adelheit (deren tante), Miss Jennie Braun; Herr Krause (homeopathisher charlatan), John H. J. Immel; Johana (ein freund), Ed Korn.

Cornet solo—"Columbia" .....

Charles Young, accompanied by W. A. Young.

March exit—"The Jolly Students" ..... H. Zickel

Orchestra of St. John's church.

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STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
...ton	12	5	.706
...sville	12	5	.706
...erson	9	8	.529
... Wayne	8	8	.500
...ton	8	9	.471
...rre Haute	7	8	.467
...uth Bend	6	12	.333
...nceling	5	12	.294

Fort Wayne won the second game in South Bend yesterday, making it 3 straight and boosting the club up to fourth place. There was no batting to speak of on either side and Fort Wayne's victory was due to pitching a few hits in the third inning. Carbiener was on the slab for Fort Wayne and pitched only a fair game. He was erratic, wild at times and was saved a number of hits by snappy support. In the seventh he was in the hole, with two men on bases and no one out, but redeemed himself by striking out the next three men to face him. He was supported by a rooter gang of about fifty, who drove over from Bremen, his old home, to see him perform. The attendance was not large, the slim crowd being accounted for by the fact that there was a German picnic with beer accessories in progress during the afternoon. The club passed Terre Haute in the standing column and now ranks an easy fourth. President Mautner returned to the city last evening, leaving Captain Myers in charge of the team. Mr. Mautner said that he has a contract out for another star pitcher. He declined to say who he is. Freck, supposed to go to the second bag, is practicing daily and another outfielder is expected hourly. Hardy, who is playing in California, and to whom transportation and advance money were sent ten days ago, has not yet been heard from.

The score of yesterday's game is as follows:

SOUTH BEND.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Anderson, cf..	3	0	1	2	1	0
Grant, 2b.....	5	1	1	3	4	0
Coggswell, rf..	3	1	0	3	0	0
Tieman, c.....	4	1	1	8	1	0
Spangler, 1b...	4	0	1	10	0	0
Coffey, lf.....	3	0	1	0	0	0
Vorpagle, ss...	4	0	1	1	0	0
Ream, 3b.....	4	0	0	0	2	0
Hines, p.....	0	0	0	0	2	1
Moffit, p.....	2	0	0	0	1	1
*Daniels	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals 33	3	6	27	11	2	

*Daniels batted for Moffit.

FORT WAYNE.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Belden, rf.....	3	0	1	3	1	1
Dennis, cf.....	4	0	0	1	0	0
Murphy, 3b....	4	0	0	1	1	1
Ostdick, c.....	2	1	0	10	2	0
Myers, 1b.....	3	2	2	9	1	0
Lindsay, 2b...	3	1	1	1	0	0
O'Connell, lf...	4	0	1	0	0	0
Hopke, ss.....	4	0	1	1	4	1
Carbiener, p...	3	0	0	1	2	0
Totals 30	4	6	27	11	3	

By innings....	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
South Bend	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0—3
Hits	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	1	0—6
Fort Wayne	0	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	0—4
Hits	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	1—6

Two-base hits—Hopke, Belden. Double plays—Belden to Myers. Wild pitches—Carbiener, 2; Hines, 2. Umpire—Hubbard. Attendance—1,600. Time of game—1:50.

OTHER SCORES YESTERDAY.

Dayton, 9; Marion, 8.

Marion, Ind., May 18.—Marion played a lose game in the field yesterday and Dayton scored most of her runs on errors. The score:

Dayton	0	1	4	4	0	0	0	0	0—9
Marion	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	3—8

Hits—Dayton, 9; Marion, 11. Errors—Dayton, 2; Marion, 8. Batteries—Hamilton and Jessup; Hart and Fox. Attendance—1,600.

Anderson, 7; Wheeling, 5.

Anderson, Ind., May 18.—The locals won yesterday in the fifth on Wheeling's error and timely hits. Score:

Anderson	0	0	0	2	4	0	1	0	*—7
Wheeling	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	2—5

Hits—Anderson, 8; Wheeling, 15. Errors—Anderson, 3; Wheeling, 6. Batteries—Nonemacher and Quisser; Rosson and Shannon. Attendance—2,600.

Evansville, 6; Terre Haute, 4.

Terre Haute, Ind., May 18.—Terre Haute was outbatted yesterday by Evansville. McGuire, who came here from Memphis, was largely responsible for the game being lost. The crowd was the largest ever seen on the grounds. Score:

Evansville	0	1	1	1	1	0	2	0	0—6
Terre Haute	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0—4

Hits—Evansville, 11; Terre Haute, 10. Errors—Evansville, 2; Terre Haute, 3. Batteries—Scott and McGuire; Foreman and McKinley. Attendance—3,500.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
New York	16	7	.696
Chicago	18	9	.667
Pittsburg	17	11	.607
Boston	12	11	.522
Cincinnati	13	13	.500
Brooklyn	12	13	.480
St. Louis	8	19	.296
Philadelphia	6	19	.240

GAMES TODAY.

Chicago at Boston.
Pittsburg at New York.
Cincinnati at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	15	8	.652
Philadelphia	14	11	.560
Boston	12	11	.522
Detroit	11	11	.500
St. Louis	10	10	.500
Cleveland	9	11	.450
New York	10	13	.435
Washington	8	14	.364

SCORES YESTERDAY.

Washington, 6; Chicago, 2

Chicago	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0—2
Washington	1	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	1—6

Hits—Chicago, 11; Washington, 13. Errors—Chicago, 1; Washington, 3. Batteries—Patterson and Sullivan; Patten and Clark. Attendance—12,000.

St. Louis, 9; Philadelphia, 3.

St. Louis	0	0	3	0	3	1	0	2	*—9
Philadelphia	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—3

Hits—St. Louis, 13; Philadelphia, 14. Errors—St. Louis, 1; Philadelphia, 3. Batteries—Donahue and Sugden; Plank, Henley and Powers, Schreck. Attendance—11,500.

Cleveland, 9; New York, 2.

Columbus, Ohio, May 17.—Cleveland and New York played a championship game transferred from Cleveland here yesterday. Score:

Cleveland	3	3	0	0	0	2	0	1	*—9
New York	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—2

Hits—Cleveland, 14; New York, 8. Errors—Cleveland, 2; New York, 3. Batteries—Joss and Abbott; Griffith and Beville. Attendance—4,822

GAMES TODAY.

Washington at Chicago.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
New York at Cleveland.
Boston at Detroit.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Clubs.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Indianapolis	15	8	.652
Milwaukee	14	8	.636
St. Paul	11	8	.579
Kansas City	12	10	.545
Louisville	11	12	.478
Columbus	11	14	.440
Toledo	11	14	.440
Minneapolis	5	16	.238

SCORES YESTERDAY.

Louisville, 12; Columbus, 10.

Louisville	2	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	5—12
Columbus	0	2	0	2	0	0	4	0	2—10

Hits—Louisville, 12; Columbus, 11. Erorrs—Louisville, 9; Columbus, 2. Batteries—Coons, Eagan and Schriver; Williams and Roach. Attendance—5,000.

Indianapolis, 8; Toledo, 3.

Toledo	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0—3
Indianapolis	3	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0—8

Hits—Toledo, 7; Indianapolis, 10. Errors—Toledo, 3; Indianapolis, 1. Batteries—Reisling and Butter; Williams, Ford and Heydon. Attendance—3,800.

Milwaukee, 8; Kansas City, 2.

Kansas City	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—2
Milwaukee	1	3	0	1	0	0	3	0	0—8

Hits—Kansas City, 6; Milwaukee, 11. Errors—Kansas City, 0; Milwaukee, 1. Batteries—McGoughey and Maloney; Meredith and Speer. Attendance—5,500.

St. Paul, 3; Minneapolis, 1.

St. Paul	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	*—3
Minneapolis	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—1

Hits—St. Paul, 3; Minneapolis, 4. Errors—St. Paul 1; Minneapolis, 0. Batteries—Ferguson and Sullivan; Stimmel and Spoer. Attendance—8,000.

GAMES TODAY.

None scheduled.

GAMES SATURDAY.

Central League.

Fort Wayne, 7; South Bend, 4.
Marion, 13; Dayton, 2.
Anderson, 6; Wheeling, 1.
Evansville-Terre Haute, rain.

National League.

St. Louis, 6; Philadelphia, 2.
Chicago, 6; Boston, 1.
New York, 7; Pittsburg, 3.
Brooklyn, 8; Cincinnati, 4.

American League.

Boston, 9; Detroit, 6.
New York, 3; Cleveland, 2.
Chicago, 4; Washington, 3.
St. Louis, 2; Philadelphia, 0.

American Association.

Indianapolis, 15; Toledo, 1.
Columbus, 6; Louisville, 3.
Kansas City, 8; Milwaukee, 4.
Minneapolis, 9; St. Paul, 0.

SHAMROCKS CLEANED 'EM UP.

At League park yesterday afternoon the Shamrocks put it all over George Cuppy's Logansport team, winning by a score of 8 to 0. The Shamrocks put up a great game at the bat and in the field, and set a pace that would keep many league teams guessing. Over 1,000 people witnessed the game. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Shamrocks	8	19	4
Logansport	0	4	3

Batteries—Robbins and Smith; G. Cuppy and Oram, Lester and G. Kesling. Time of game—1:30. Umpire—Moran.

Shamrock Notes.

After the bombardment of George Cuppy, Logansport settled down and put up a good game.

Romary made another great catch in the outfield.

LaRue got in front of a line drive. He nailed it.

Nothing gets away from Logansport's outfield.

Nineteen hits, all of them clean drives, was all the Shamrocks did yesterday.

Over 200 ladies attended the game.

Ehle is one of the Shamrocks' top-notch hitters.

Jack Smith handles Robbins' benders like a veteran.

Cherry received a telegram during the game from Grant, asking him to come to South Bend tomorrow and help the Greens out for a couple of games. Grant tried to sign Cherry a couple of weeks ago, but Cherry says playing ball with the Shamrocks suits him mighty well.

The Cleveland Reserves will be here next Sunday.

McDarby put the timber to the pigskin. He got three nice drives.

Robbins had George Cuppy chopping. The ex-Cleveland slab artist could not connect.

Quinn put up his usual game in center. Something always doing when they hit to the middle garden.

OTHER NOTES.

The Wabash Stars defeated the Taylor streets by a score of 6 to 5. Raber and Zurbuch were the battery for the Wabash Stars, and Ehrman and Arter were the battery for the Taylor streets. The work of Raber and Zurbuch was the feature of the game. The Stars also defeated the Williams streets by a score of 16 to 7. Sessler and Danehey were the battery for the Williams streets.

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There is no time like the present to do a thing that ought to be done, and any one who has dyspepsia certainly ought to cure it.

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ROUNDS OUT HALF CENTURY.

Fort Wayne commandery No. 4, Knights Templar, will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary in connection with the Ascension day services to be held next Thursday. The knights meet in the morning at 9 o'clock at the Temple and march to Lindenwood to decorate the graves of departed members. In the evening a stated conclave will be held at 7:30 and the Ascension day services begin a half hour later and will be followed by the anniversary exercises. Rev. E. W. Allen, of the West Jefferson street Church of Christ, will deliver an address and Dr. C. B. Stemen will read a history of the commandery. Supper will be served after the exercises in the Randall hotel.

Mothers, be sure and use Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for your children while cutting teeth. It is the best remedy of all. my7-eod-w

DEGREE OF HONOR.

Allen Lodge No. 29, D. of H., will hereafter meet at Trainmen's hall, on Calhoun street, first and second Tuesdays. Will meet there Tuesday, May 19. By order of

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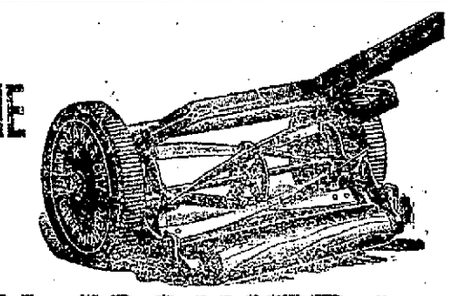

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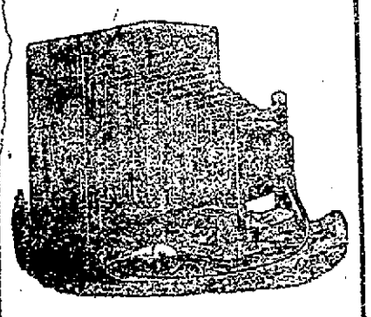

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LAST SUNDAY IN OLD CHURCH HOME

Berry Street M. E. Congregation Holds Unique Service —Some Reminiscences

Sunday services have been held for the last time in the old edifice at Berry and Harrison streets, where for more than forty years the members of the Berry street Methodist Episcopal congregation have worshiped. Next Sunday the congregation will move into the handsome new edifice on East Wayne and Lafayette streets, and the last Sunday in the old church home yesterday was devoted to a farewell service. The church was completely filled and there was a notable attendance of older members of this and other congregations of the city.

Rev. J. K. Walts, the pastor, conducted the unique service and the musical numbers by the choir and orchestra were of a very high order. Rev. I. W. Markley, himself a pioneer of Methodism, delivered the opening prayer. In his opening remarks Rev. Walts stated that the occasion might be called a good-bye—a moving-out meeting, or a memorial service, but he preferred to regard it as more fully a fellowship meeting, and expressed gratification over the fact that so many of the older friends had come to participate in the service. The pastor divided the church's history into five periods, extending backward from the present, and called for those who united with the church during each of those periods to arise. Going back to the time prior to the erection of the present building, but five indicated that they had united prior to the erection of the old edifice, and when the pastor went back still further and asked for those who had affiliated with the congregation before the erection of the wooden building (called the sawmill), which occupied the site prior to the erection of the building which is now being deserted, but a single member arose—the venerable George W. Brackenridge, and Rev. Walts thereupon declared that the "sole survivor" should be heard from.

A PIONEER TALKS.

Mr. Brackenridge was warmly greeted as he arose and he spoke with much feeling. "I do not enjoy being in the minority," said Mr. Brackenridge, in opening, "and this occasion seems to me more like a funeral, for as we take leave of this old church home a thousand recollections press upon my memory—seasons of refreshing and hours of pure gladness that have come to us as members within these dear old walls. It is more than seventy years ago since a little company of devoted men and women—about the same in number as the party which accompanied Captain Noah in the ark—gathered to worship in a little school house near the St. Mary's river. Later the worshipers moved to the Masonic hall, on West Columbia street; a few years later to a little carpenter shop which stood upon the site of the Rurode store; later to a school house which stood on Lafayette street. From this point the congregation moved into the frame building erected upon the site of the building we are now leaving. It was sometimes called "the sawmill;" I cannot say why.

"The preachers in those early days were sent by the Ohio conference. Then the Indiana conference in 1836 sent Rev. James S. Harrison to Fort Wayne. W. G. Ewing donated a lot on West Main street, and we began the erection of a church building; money ran low; the plan was abandoned. It was then that the congregation gladly availed itself of Young's school house until the frame church on this site was erected, built by Henry Williams. In 1849, with Samuel Cooper as presiding elder, the congregation was divided, and Wayne street M. E. church was organized. Growth continued in spite of difficulties, and later Simpson church branched off; then Trinity church; and, finally, St. Paul's. From that little congregation, which numbered but eight at the beginning, has grown the five splendid Methodist churches in Fort Wayne, and still the procession moves on."

MANY OTHERS SPOKE.

In the program which followed many of the older members of the church were heard in a few remarks, the addresses interspersed with old-time hymns which are familiar to many of the present-day churchgoers. But the older people sang them with spirit. Chester Scarlet told a number of humorous anecdotes connected with the history of the church—among them an incident during a quarterly conference conducted by the late Rev. A. E. Mahin, who happened to call upon a brother to lead in prayer just at a moment when the latter, whose mouth was equipped with false teeth, was industriously trying to masticate some very sticky butterscotch; another when the janitor marched down the aisle escorting two colored ladies, while the choir was singing "Whiter Than Snow," and a third of Rev. C. C. Cissel, who, at an experience meeting, asked a stranger who had drifted into the service, "How it was with him?" The stranger arose and replied, "O, putty goot, aber I tink it vill be besser ven McKinley gets in." A pathetic incident was furnished when Mr. Scarlet drew from his pocket a register and called the roll of many of those who were members of the church twenty-six years ago, all of whom are now dead.

Rev. Walts then gave some statistical information from the church records, showing the membership of the church at various periods. The present membership, 345, is the largest in the history of the congregation.

Rev. R. D. Spellman, another pioneer minister, gave an interesting talk, and Capt. A. H. Dougall explained that the name "sawmill" had been given to the old frame church in pioneer days on account of the religious fervor of the worshippers, for the reason that some sacreligious passer-by had on one occasion declared that the sounds proceeding from the church building during a service reminded him of the noise of a sawmill. Mr. Bookwalter, Rev. Markley and a number of other older members contributed to the reminiscent symposium.

A. C. Beaver, who has been engaged in Sunday school work for fifty years, delivered a most entertaining address at the session of the Sunday school, prior to the public service. Mr. Beaver is undoubtedly the oldest Sunday school worker in this section of the state.

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PROMISES A FAMOUS TRIAL.

London, May 18.—The arrest of Mrs. Gunning S. Bedford, jr., on board the Umbria at Queenstown on Saturday night promises to provide one of the most sensational trials heard in English courts for many years. The charge which is formally preferred against her is "that she did unlawfully cause R. C. Cowie, registrar of births and deaths, to make on December 18, at 16 Upper Woburn place, London, an alleged false entry of the birth of a female child."

Particulars of the case were sworn to at Bow street court on Friday by two relatives of the late Mr. Bedford, who allege that no child was born at the address given at any time in the last three years and that the child now represented by Mrs. Bedford as hers was really born at Paris and brought to London for the purpose of registration.

At this time Mr. Bedford was dying of consumption at Paris and he succumbed two months later, leaving a large sum estimated at $500,000 to his wife and child. Relatives claim that Mr. Bradford was led to believe that the child was his in order that the woman might obtain control of his entire fortune.

PARADE IS INDEX OF CIRCUS.

The Street Display of a Show Reveals Its Character.

The Great Wallace Show which exhibits in Fort Wayne on Thursday, May 21st, features everything connected with it from the street parade to the concert. The press of other cities have only the most favorable comment for Wallace's parade. Even when the show visits territory where it has never been, its magnificent street pageant so agreeably surprises the public that they are sure to crowd the immense tents.

It is in the parade that the management of a circus can show to good advantage the stability and character of the aggregation. If it is really meritorious, the street display will demonstrate the fact. The splendid equipment of the Great Wallace Show is shown to excellent advantage in the big parade, and it is generally complimented. The horses are in fine trim and the tableau wagons, dens, cages and chariots are resplendently decorated with costly carvings, gilt and varnish. An unusually large number of dens are open in parade and the general public is given a free exhibition of a fine array of wild animals. All in all, it is pronounced by many the finest and best circus display ever seen upon any street. But it is in the circus performance that the show excels.

Barring accidents, the parade of the Great Wallace Shows will start from the show lot at 10 o'clock sharp, and traverse the principal streets of Fort Wayne on Thursday, May 21st.

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FORTUNE IN BEING ROBBED.

Utica, N. Y., May 18.—As recompense for having stolen her pocketbook in 1888 George H. Todd, a miserly traveling peddler, has bequeathed $40,000 to Mrs. Peter Jordon, of Brocton, Mass. Todd had always been looked upon as penniless, but after his death a wallet was found in his pocket containing a bank book and securities worth more than $40,000. This amount was accumulated through niggardly saving, the scantiest of living, suffering in cold weather for want of proper clothing, going without food rather than buy. Todd had carried a tin box for fifty years from one end of the country to the other, always selling something and invariably begging his meals and lodgings. For the last ten or fifteen years he had used a wheelbarrow, and his tall, gaunt figure had become a familiar object in all parts of the country.

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NON-COMS. FOR THE RIFLES.

Capt. James E. Ford has named the following non-commissioned officers of the Hibernian Rifles: Orderly sergeant, James H. Finney; color sergeant, Edward Cleary; sergeants, Con Greaney and M. J. Lordier; corporals, Thomas Pembroke, James Meehan, Edward O'Connor, Timothy Moran, William Stevens, Bernard McCabe, M. J. Shea, J. H. Logan.

GARRETT HOSPITAL DEDICATED SUNDAY

Fort Wayne People Had Prominent Part in a Splendid Program.

(Special to The Sentinel.)

Garrett, Ind., May 18.—In the presence of a great throng of visitors, made up of both clergy and laymen, the splendid new Sacred Heart hospital in this city, just completed at a cost of more than $50,000, was formally dedicated Sunday afternoon.

The day was a memorable one, Fort Wayne and surrounding towns contributing liberally to the making up of the thousands of visitors in the city. Rt. Rev. Bishop Alerding, who arrived from Fort Wayne Saturday evening, celebrated early mass, and at 10 o'clock solemn high mass was sung, Rev. A. Young, of this city, being the celebrant. He was assisted by Rev. D. Duehmig, of Avilla; Rev. A. Messman, of Laporte; Rev. Francis Faust, of Ege; Rev. F. J. Keller, of Kendallville; Rev. Father Pfister, C. PP. S., of Fort Wayne, and others. Bishop Alerding delivered the sermon. In the afternoon the bishop administered confirmation to a large class of children.

The bishop also officiated at the formal dedication of the hospital at 2:30 o'clock. M. J. McDermott was presiding officer, and Mayor E. B. Thumma, of Garrett, spoke briefly, and Dr. E. J. McOscar, of Fort Wayne, delivered the address of welcome. The principal address was by Hon. W. P. Breen, of Fort Wayne, whose theme was "Charity." Mr. Breen paid an eloquent tribute to the devoted sisters whose life work is a constant labor for the amelioration of pain and suffering.

Garrett's welcome to the visitors was most cordial, and the Knights of Columbus kept open house during the day. The ladies of the congregation served dinner and supper, and the occasion was a delightful one throughout. The hospital is already in service, in charge of a corps of six nurses from the Sisters of St. Francis.

WOMAN IS SLAIN WITH CLUB.

Terre Haute, Ind., May 18.—Mrs. Hauck Stewart was found murdered yesterday morning when her husband returned home from work. The furniture showed that she had fought her assailants until a blow with a club crushed her skull. Her body was badly bruised and mangled. It is believed the murderer is a negro and searching parties determined on a lynching are trying to capture him.

A bloody club about four feet long was found about 200 yards from the Stewart home. A negro was put off a train near Lena a few hours before the murder for stealing a ride and it is thought he is responsible for the crime. Descriptions of the negro have been sent all over Putnam county.

LEAVES THE MINISTRY.

Rev. Beneville Sawyer, who for three years was pastor of St. Paul's M. E. church, this city, and who was assigned to Spencerville at the last general conference, has resigned his new charge and will for the present retire from the ministry. His resignation is caused by failing health.

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There were successive electrical explosions, but no rains, and a ball of fire was seen following a light wire in the church under which the injured ones were sitting. The clothing of all three was practically burned from their bodies.

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A Page of Interest to All

PRIZE GARDENS

What cannot one get out of a garden? Mother Nature will give so much with so little care and thought in return. In this my town garden, of 372 feet in length and 75 feet in width, I see first from my back piazza a very pleasing picture. The lawn in the foreground is divided by the main paths, which at 44 feet turn into two side paths, around a large circle, say 30 feet in length by 40 in width. This gives room on the side for border planting. On the left of the circle is a vine-covered summerhouse, just within the shadow of a wide-spreading apple tree. Beyond the circle we enter in among the flowers, in their half-moon beds bordered with box.

These all surround a court or center bed. In the rear of these beds are two oblong beds of ten feet by four, which are divided by a shield of sweet peas from the vegetables. The walk still continues across the entire garden here, and all is well ended by my neighbor's hawthorne hedge of six feet in height. This gives an excellent background to the whole picture, not to speak of the charming contrasts I have seeing the beautiful lawn effects of the neighbor on my right, besides the contrasting flowers of the one on my left. For we are all such good friends that we have no fences for five city lots.

The garden has a northeasterly exposure, giving me plenty of afternoon sun, and I have no trouble to have anything grow.

About the main path I have plenty of roses as the beds and borders devoted to flowering plants, and is capable of expressing the owner's individuality in a charming manner.

While the plan of the grounds and walks is to be determined by the size and shape of the lot and must harmonize with the style of the house, it is always best to leave the lawn in front of the house in clear, unbroken turf. This clear space may be thickly planted in early autumn with crocus bulbs, which will bloom early the following spring and be out of bloom before the lawn mower is used. These bulbs remain indefinitely and multiply rapidly, consequently are a good investment, besides being absolutely no trouble at all.

Before leaving this front lawn it may be remarked that if some degree of privacy is desired a row of flowering shrubs may be planted three feet back from the fence and eight feet apart. This will obscure the view somewhat and still afford delightful glimpses of the beauty within. These shrubs may be selected from a long list, and may all be of one sort or selected to afford a succession of bloom. Spireas Van Houttei and prunifolia, althess, deutzias, Philadelphus and pyrus japonica, the "burning bush" of our grandmother's gardens, are all fine flowering shrubs for this purpose, as is also weigela. A beautiful screen may be had by planting althea folia variegata, which has beautifully variegated leaves of green and white, which have a cool and refreshing effect on the warmest day.

but it is to be remembered they are for effect only and do not admit the cutting of any flowers for vases, etc.

The most lovely garden ornament is furnished by a hedge of hardy roses. These may be planted anywhere a line of division would naturally suggest itself, either separating the front and back yards, the lawn and garden, or may be used to suggest an imaginary effect of distance. For best effect the roses should be of one color and blooming at the same time. Crimson white and yellow ramblers are fine for this purpose, also the older prairie queen pink and the lovely Baltimore belle and some others. Strong growing sorts should always be selected for this purpose. These roses may also be trained to a back fence with grand results. Crimson rambler is also fine for training on arches over gates and walks. The smallest plot can have an arch over the gate.

Where a long arch is desired, as over a drive, nothing can surpass wistaria. These arches may be rustic and made of cedar boughs, or may be purchased ready to set up in galvanized wire. A beautiful feathery vine for small arches is clematis Paniculata. In graceful effect it surpasses the climbing roses and throws a thicker shade. A border for hardy perennials and herbaceous plants can usually be arranged at the side of the lawn. This will prove a feature more enjoyed with each succeeding season. Here all the old favorites and many new ones may find a home—spice pinks, violets, peonies, columbine (aquilegia), love lies bleeding (dicentra), iris, lilies, sweet William (dianthus barbatus), mullein pink (agrostemma), larkspur, Canterbury bells and many more. The list in this desirable class is constantly increasing and will repay study.

There is great satisfaction in knowing that every spring the red points of the peonies will come pushing through in the same spot. The columbines will unfurl their leaves in earliest spring, while all through the snows of winter the silvery foliage of the spice pinks will remain fresh and bright. Considerable study should be given to planting the hardy border, being sure to keep the tall growing sorts, such as hollyhocks and rudbeckias at the back, graduating down to the alyssum saxatile and phlox lurlata on the front edge. By proper selection a succession of bloom may be obtained through the entire season, from the bravest polyanthus in the early spring to the stout little pompon chrysanthemums that brighten the gray days of November. In autumn daffodils, campennelles, narcissus and snowdrops may be planted among the hardy plants, where they will make a brave show every spring.

In autumn, when the frosts have killed the tender plants in the bed in the turf, plant hyacinths or tulips there for early spring bloom. These will be ready to rest when warm enough to set out tender plants again. For flowers for cutting we may have as large a number of annual flowers as space will admit at the back of the house or at one side. While there is no objection to these being visible from the street, they must not be reckoned on for any display except when cut. These annuals are among the most charming flowers, and are the flowers for those who rent their houses. Pansies, stocks, nasturtiums, sweet peas, zinnias, marigolds, calendula, ageratum and asters are all very fine for vases. For feathery green plant ambrosia Mexicana, and the touch of white every bouquet needs, sweet alyssum. The above list merely gives a very few of the many available, and selections must be made according to personal fancy.

Poppies are one of the finest flowers, but are extremely short lived. China pinks are almost ideal for cutting, also scabiosa, but why prolong the list? A tenth part could not be mentioned, and one garden can hold only a few sorts. Roses are the flower par excellence for vases and personal adornment, and the garden without a rose would be a mockery, yet it is well for the novice to study rose culture in particular before planting many. The hopelessness of mentioning the "best" roses (the amateur invariably wants this information) out of a thousand sorts is apparent to any one. With Paul Neyron (pink), General Jacqueminot (crimson), perfection des blanches (white) and Harrison's yellow the garden will be enriched by varieties that are ironclad in hardiness and beautiful in flower. With the exception of the last mentioned, all bloom at intervals during the season.

Tea roses make beautiful beds and borders, giving a continual display of bloom. They may be purchased in bloom in spring, transferred from their pots to the bed, and will grow without any evidence of being disturbed. This plan saves trouble, and one knows just what colors and shapes to expect. In our Northern climate tea roses require good protection in winter to survive. Treated as annuals, the results are more satisfactory. Plants may be wintered in the window, or new ones purchased each spring. Sturdy young roses may be procured at 10 cents each by mail. In fact, having one's garden filled from the accommodating mail bag is quite the usual thing where the florist is not readily accessible.

While considerable expenditures may be devoted to gardening in even a limited space, lovely effects and an equal amount of satisfaction may be obtained with trifling sums in even the poorest soil and under unpromising conditions. Flowers are no respecters of persons, and the posies of the laundress will sometimes put those of the professional gardener to shame. In fact, amateurs are constantly surpassing the professionals in this respect. The reason is, with one the culture of flowers is a delight, while with the other it is a mere matter of routine. For thin, sandy soil petunias make a fine, large bed or border. Single sorts should be planted. Portulacas make lovely carpet

and shrubs trained to grow tall. Around a few have been placed some early crocus and tulips to give a little color early in the spring.

On the right side of the garden by the house there are all kinds of lilacs planted as a border to the yard, followed by a hedge effect of flowering quince, ending in plain, practical currant bushes.

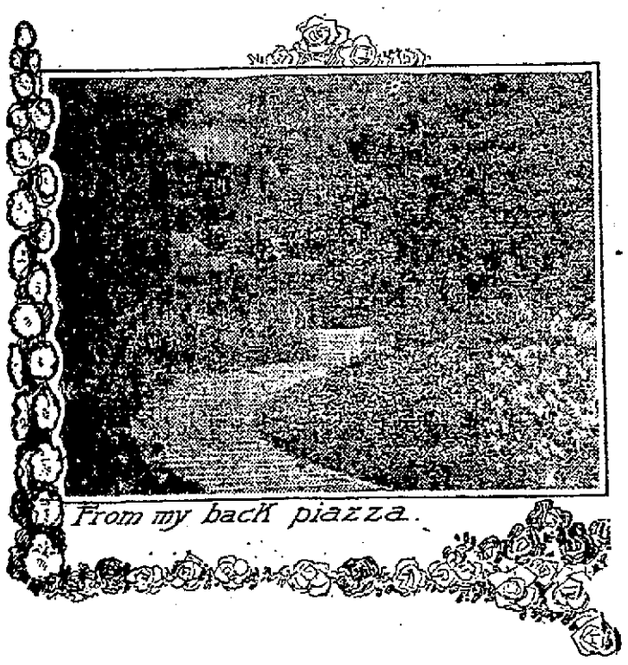
On the sides of the circle there are three or four big apple trees, which give me their stores in the fall. Back with the currant bushes, the plum tree grows very well.

The flowers are usually pansies, zinnias and poppies in the half-moon beds, surrounding the center bed of scarlet geraniums. All are hastened by being started in the hotbed in among the vegetables. On the sides, at the ends of the garden, and in the oblong beds, are quantities of iris, peonies, Canterbury bells, with anemone for tall flowering.

With all these I still have room for a ten by twelve asparagus bed, and all the radishes and lettuce I need for a family of four persons. There is always something to see in this garden from the earliest crocus to the Christmas roses under the spruce tree.

The garden in the country in its largest sense includes the lawn and walks, as well

It may be remarked in passing that no garden can be considered at all complete without a good collection of flowering shrubs, and plans should be made to introduce a few even in the smallest garden. The carriage drive may be bordered with dwarf growing sorts, but they should never be planted so closely as to give a brushy, neglected air to the lawn. In order to emphasize the green of the turf a flower bed of set design may be introduced in the turf at one side. Its position here must be calculated with mathematical precision. Scarlet should be the predominating color. A fine effect may be produced by using cannas for the center of the bed. Italia is a fine sort for this purpose, having scarlet and yellow flowers. Next the broad band of scarlet may be produced by salvias, which may be purchased or grown from seeds started in March. Scarlet geraniums also give a fine glow of color. For the border sow seeds of dwarf sweet alyssum, which will give a broad ribbon-like border of foamy white and cause even a faded turf to look normal by contrast. A carpet-like bed of red may be obtained by the use of coleus, but will lack the air of tropical luxuriance of the other. These set designs may be varied indefinitely,



In Strawberry Time.

Tell you what I like the best
Long about knee deep in June,
'Bout the time strawberries melts
On the vine—some afternoon
Like to jes' git out an' rest,
And not work at nothin' else.
—JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY.

The nutritive value of the strawberry is not great, neither muscle nor flesh-forming elements lying in its luscious depths, but it refreshes, it stimulates, it regulates. Analysis shows it to be particularly rich in soda salts, and despite the high percentage of water which it carries, it excels all other common fruits in the amount of mineral salts. On this account it is often recommended to gouty persons. It was the great Linnaeus who first discovered this pleasing remedy for sciatica, and his example has found many followers, since strawberries are usually allowed convalescents when other fruit is denied, while in Bavaria dried strawberry leaves are believed to make a most nourishing tea for children, mixed with hot milk and a little sugar.

While the ideal way of eating berries is fresh from the vines, with no washing to dissipate the sweetness of the fruit, only a favored few are able to compass this gustatorial delight.

Suspicion justly attaches to the berry of the huckster's cart or the market, where they have been exposed to all sorts of flying dust and uncleanliness, and in this case the berries must be washed. Put into a colander and let cold water run over them gently until all grit is removed. Drain thoroughly and arrange, if for breakfast, on pretty individual plates, with stems uppermost, and a little mound of sugar in the middle to dip them in. If there is a strawberry leaf to put on the bottom of the plate, so much prettier is the effect. Strawberries with their hulls and stems on are frequently served as a first course for luncheon or a noon breakfast. When served as a dessert pass sugar and cream.

Never sprinkle strawberries with sugar and allow them to stand, as it extracts the juice and toughens the skin. Some people aver that a slight sprinkling of salt brings out the flavor, while East Indian palates call for a dash of cayenne. Orange juice over strawberries offers a change for those who do not care for cream, and claret is the Parisian's idea of the natural complement of the sweet wild berry.

Nor is the strawberry confined to any one country. It is found in all temperate parts of the Northern Hemisphere and in the mountains of South America. Wood strawberries, the earliest species cultivated, are mentioned in the street cries of London over 400 years ago, while Shakespeare in "Richard III.," mentions the garden of the Bishop of Ely, at Holborn, which was celebrated for its berries. In Servia and Roumania the wooded slopes are still covered with the wild berries, as also the fields of Asia Minor. The gypsies are always on hand for the harvest of these berries, and one of the characteristic and picturesque street sights in Constantinople are these Cheriquin women, in gay yellow and scarlet gowns and handkerchiefs nodding down their red locks, bearing their native splint baskets filled to the brim with the luscious scarlet fruit. In the Balkans and the Orient the berries are usually eaten with the creamy delicious matzoon, made of buffalo's milk, as an accompaniment, a good combination that is speedily adopted by the English residents in Constantinople and the American teachers at Robert College, on the Bosporous, and the American Girls' College, at Scutari. Somewhat analogous is the preparation in this country of strawberry juice, a tempting dish for luncheon or dessert. Make the plain juice, sweet with clarified sugar, and serve in sherbet glasses two-thirds full and set in the ice box to chill. When ready to serve fill the glass with berries, heat lightly with sugar, heap whipped cream on top and crown with a large berry in the center.

The popularity of the strawberry shortcake never wanes. It is one of the joys of early summer, gastronomically associated with shad and green peas. There are any number of recipes for making shortcake, while the New York restaurant shortcake is no shortcake at all. To the minds of those accustomed to it in their youth the genuine, old-fashioned New England shortcake, made with a rich biscuit crust, can never be excelled. There is a knack in turning it out nasty, light and altogether delicious.

One method, whose glove has held these many years in its casing, calls for four cupfuls of sifted flour, a half teaspoonful of salt, a tablespoonful of sugar, three tablespoonfuls of butter, a beaten egg, a level teaspoonful of soda, dissolved in a little water, and a large cupful of sour cream or thick sour milk. Mix well together with a spatula, or flexible knife, using the hands as little as possible. Add enough more flour to roll out easily. Cut in two pieces, flour the pastry board and roll lightly and quickly into a round sheet that will fit the baking-pan. Brush the top with melted butter and cover with the second sheet, rolled to the same size. Place the pan in a quick oven and bake. When done separate them, cover the lower part with a thick layer of strawberries, crushed and sweetened, place the second shortcake on top and cover with one, whole berries. Serve with thick cream and sugar at the table.

Sweet milk and baking powder can be used instead of sour cream and soda.

A delicious strawberry sauce that may be served with shortcake or with plain boiled rice, a cottage or bread pudding, is made by beating to a soft, light cream one-half cupful of butter and one cupful of sugar. Add the whipped white of an egg and a cupful of ripe, crushed berries. Whipped cream is often served with a hot shortcake and always with the French shortcake, which is served cold. It is, however, frequently supplemented by the stiffly beaten whites of eggs, which are less expensive than the cream. To make this cake whip to a cream half a cup of butter and a cup of sugar. Sift two cupfuls of flour with a teaspoonful of cream of tartar and a scant half-teaspoonful of soda. Repeat the sifting, add a half-cupful of milk and the whites of three eggs beaten stiff. Bake in two-layer cake tins. When cold ice with a thin icing and spread the lower one with berries cut in halves and sweetened. Put on the second cake, spread thickly with the whipped cream or egg meringue, and decorate with berries.

Individual shortcakes may be made by making baking powder biscuit of generous size, splitting each, buttering and filling with mashed and sweetened berries.

A freshly baked spongecake, broken, not cut, is an excellent accompaniment for berries at tea or luncheon.

Strawberry sandwiches are often seen at afternoon teas. The fine French bread or tender baking powder biscuits are used as the binding for large sweet berries, sliced and sprinkled with sugar. Sometimes a spoonful of whipped cream is added to the berries.

Strawberry Frappe.—For one quart of ripe berries use four lemons, three cupfuls of sugar and three pints of water. Crush the berries with the sugar and let them stand an hour before adding the juice of the lemons and the water. Mix well, pour in a freezer and stir the mixture for 15 or 20 minutes. Pack in ice for an hour or two; serve in glasses, with or without whipped cream on top.

To Give Piquancy To Asparagus.

A few drops of lemon juice and a few grains of cayenne added to plain melted butter and poured over boiled asparagus lifts it out of the commonplace.

Cold asparagus tips may be fried in butter enlivened with paprika. A suspicion of onion flavor tones up a dish of asparagus successfully, and chives and Spanish peppers used judiciously are excellent in a dressing for it.

Baked asparagus is usually boiled first, only the tender parts of the stalks being baked. A bechamel sauce is the popular one in which to encase the asparagus tips before baking. Over the top put cheese and crumbs, that the proper browning may take place. Now this is all very well. No one can quarrel with bechamel sauce; it is gentle and refined always. But it does seem sometimes to be insipid, and especially so when anything so unobtrusive in flavor as asparagus is decorated with it. To remedy this tameness there may be used a little anchovy essence in the bechamel, or a dash of horseradish, or onion juice, or a few capers—anything, in fact, that you have seen or heard of in connection with this sauce when used for similar purposes.

As for treating cold asparagus, there are innumerable ways. With just a French dressing it is always in favor; with French mustard added to the dressing it is even more in vogue, and with a mayonnaise or a tartare sauce it touches perfection. Then, again, lemon juice and nothing more, save a little salt, rests well on cold asparagus, only the vegetable must be chilled for all its good points so served to be apparent.

Perhaps a list of sauces suitable for asparagus hot, with directions for making them, would be a convenient thing for reference during this asparagus season, so you shall have them:

Bearnaise Sauce.—Beat the yolks of four eggs till lemon colored and add to them one tablespoonful of butter and a pinch of salt. Stir over a slow fire till the mixture begins to thicken, but it must not boil. Let it blend well and then pour in a teaspoonful of vinegar. A few chopped chives should be added or the juice of an onion.

Black Butter Sauce.—Brown in a frying pan two ounces of butter, add as it is browning a few drops of lemon juice and a few grains of cayenne.

Tarragon Sauce.—Cook together one gill each of tarragon vinegar and white wine vinegar. Add then four tablespoonfuls of veloute sauce and the yolks of two eggs to thicken it. Season well with cayenne and the needed salt and it is ready for use.

Bread Sauce.—Chop an onion very fine, put it in a saucepan with four ounces of bread crumbs pressed through a sieve, add a little pepper, salt and a half cupful of rich cream. Boil gently for 10 minutes and serve.

Sauce Bordelaise.—Peel and chop very fine four cloves of garlic and put into a saucepan with three tablespoonfuls of olive oil. When beginning to color a bit add a tablespoonful of chopped parsley.

Hollandaise Sauce.—Put two ounces of butter in a saucepan, with a little salt, nutmeg and a gill of water. Cook over the fire for five minutes. In another saucepan have two tablespoonfuls of vinegar cooked till reduced one-half. Add to the other ingredients with a tablespoonful of bechamel sauce and an ounce of butter. Mix the yolks of four eggs in a tablespoonful of water and remove the sauce from the fire; when it has ceased boiling add the egg yolks, the juice of a lemon, and strain before serving.

If these hints are not sufficient an entirely new one may be built by taking bits from several of these and adding them together, blending with a bit of melted butter if necessary.—The Epicure.

The Human Appetite.

According to Mulhall, a Frenchman eats every year 540 pounds of bread and 127 pounds of meat, and drinks 35 gallons of wine and 5 of beer. Parisians individually consume every year 37 pounds of carrots, 6 of celery, 15 of onions, 7 of peas, 49 of potatoes and 17 of tomatoes. Londoners individually devour annually 7 pounds of carrots, 1 of celery, 34 of onions, 3 of peas, 172 of potatoes and 57 of tomatoes. The Spaniards individually eat every year 500 pounds of bread, 48 of meat 11 of fish and 12 of sugar, and wash down this supply with 14 gallons of wine. In one year the hens of this country produced and the people ate $250,000,000 worth of eggs, which, at twenty-five cents a dozen, equalled 1,000,000,000 dozen eggs. We produce every year 2,190,000 tons of beef, 510,000 of mutton and 2,190,000 of pork, the greater part of which goes down our own throats.

The people of the United States are the greatest meat eaters, consuming over $35 worth per annum to each inhabitant. The world's oyster fisheries produce annually 4,439,000,000 oysters, one-half being consumed within three days after they are taken. It is estimated that this country produces 180,000,000 turkeys every year to grace the tables at Thanksgiving, Christmas and on other occasions.

It is estimated that 40,000 tons of cucumbers are raised and eaten within the limits of the United States every year. Over 12,000,000 bushels of buckwheat were last year manufactured into cakes. A baker estimates that every American will consume two pies a week, and if the statement is correct the American stomach is weekly tortured with 130,000,000 pies.

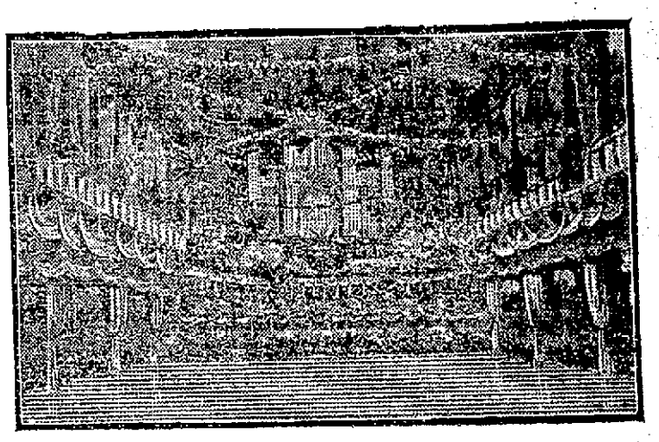
An eminent statistician estimates that during the course of an ordinary life the average man will eat seven four-horse wagon-loads more food than is good for him. To alleviate the miseries partly caused by overeating we imported last year $45,000,000 of drugs and medicines.

Crullers.

One pound dark brown sugar, one-quarter pound butter, four eggs, beaten separately; one coffee cup milk, one teaspoonful baking soda dissolved in the milk, one teaspoonful salt, one large nutmeg grated; three pints flour; roll out and drop in boiling lard. It will take about three pounds lard to cook. Drop on brown paper to absorb all grease.

The lace collar enjoys a popularity this season such as it has not known for many a year. The ones worn by our grandmothers are just as fashionable as the latest conceit of the European makers. A collar of real lace will set off a plain gown as no other one thing can.

Only Linen Costumes Worn At This Ball.



The Hall was Festooned with Linen of All Shades.

Linen's vogue as a dress material this season makes especially interesting the unique ball given in Ulster Hall, Belfast, Ireland, recently. All the decorations were of linen and all of the women guests and some of the men wore linen costumes.

Walls were hung with linen, ceilings were festooned with it and pillars draped in it, mostly in the natural color, relieved with reds, pinks, blues, grays and greens.

America was represented at the ball by Mr. Thomas McAllister, dressed in linen Stars and Stripes, and the part of John Bull was taken by Mr. William Jackson, in a pink linen coat and white linen trousers, down the sides of which were worked the colors of the Union Jack. A local paper in describing the costumes falls into rhapsody thus:

"'Are they really only linen?' was the question that rose to my lips as I critically surveyed the dresses. It used to be, when I heard anyone speak of a linen dress, a vision rose up before me of a gown of crude blue or pink or holland color, distinctly stiff, and inclining to dowdyism. Here, however, were all pure linen dresses of every shade. Warm pinks and reds showed up to advantage the dark hair and eyes of the brunettes. Blondes looked equally charming in turquoise blues and tender greens, while some delightful white, dark gray and biscuit colored dresses proved very restful to the eye. There was as much variety in texture, too, as in color. Matrons looked stately and dignified in rich fabrics that bore more likeness to silk than linen. Maidens, in soft diaphanous material, had surely never appeared to better advantage, and the all-linen suits worn by some of the men presented a pleasing change from their usual more somber attire. 'Distinctly stiff and inclining to dowdyism' were terms which would never apply to the thoroughly smart creations before me, many of them really beautiful from an artistic point of view.

"It seemed that linen could be converted into any style of garment, for up-to-date ball dresses, demi-toilettes, charming fancy dresses and trim outdoor costumes all were represented. A more brilliant spectacle has seldom been seen, I thought, than this gayly lighted hall, decorated by master hands, with its throng of fair women—some of them the fairest of Erin's lovely daughters—and stalwart men, true types of Ireland's sons. The band had struck up a waltz—a waltz full of melody and exquisitely dreamy—and the dancers glided over the smooth floor—hospital nurses, dark-skinned gypsies and Moors, jaunty fishwives, naval officers in undress uniform, Puritan maidens, military officers in mess suits and crowds of others in more ordinary attire. No, there could not be prettier costumes, I decided, let them be fashioned of shimmering satin, or silver gauze, or filmy chiffon, than these I was scrutinizing, which were only composed of pure Irish linen."

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THE MARKETS

Chicago, May 18.—July wheat dropped to 73@73⅛c on favorable weather and disappointing cables. The market was easier late in the day and July closed ⅝c lower, at 73⅛@73¼c.

July corn opened easy at 44½c to 44⅝c, on liberal receipts. Corn held steady throughout the session and July closed ⅛@¼c lower, at 44½c.

July oats opened easy, at 33c to 33¼c, with other grains.

September provisions opened lower with hogs, pork at $16.57½, lard at $8.92½ to $9.85, and ribs at $9.15.

The Close.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—May, 79⅜c; July, 73⅛@73¼c; Sept., 70¾c; Dec., 71½c.

Corn—May, 44½c; July, 44½c; Sept., 44⅜c.

Oats—May, 36⅝@36¾c; July, 33⅛@33¼c; Sept., 30½@30⅝c; Dec., 30¾c.

Pork—May, $18.85; July, $17.15; Sept., $16.57½.

Lard—May, $8.85; July, $8.95; Sept., $8.97½; Oct., $8.75.

Ribs—May, $9.25; July, $9.37½; Sept., $9.17½@9.20; Oct., $9.02½.

Rye—May, 50c; July, 50½c.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.16. S. W., $1.11; May, $1.12; July, $1.14.

Timothy—May, $3.60.

Cloverseed—May, $11.50.

Barley—Cash, 52@56c.

Butter, Cheese and Eggs.

Chicago, May 18.—Butter—Market steady; creameries, 16@21½c; dairies, 15@18c.

Eggs—Market steady, 14¼@14½c.

Cheese—Market weak; twins, 12¼@12½c; daisies, 13@13¼c; young Americas, 13¼@13¾c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 18.—Cattle—Receipts, 30,000; market 10@15c lower; good to prime steers, $4.90@5.50; poor to medium, $3.90@4.90; stockers and feeders, $2.75@4.80; cows and heifers, $1.60@4.75; canners, $1.60@2.75; bulls, $2.50@4.25; calves, $2.50@6; Texas fed steers, $4@4.80.

Hogs—Receipts today, 42,000; tomorrow, estimated, 25,000; left over, 2,444; market 5@10c lower; mixed and butchers, $6.25@6.50; good to choice heavy, $6.50@6.80; rough heavy, $6.25@6.50; light, $6.10@6.30; bulk of sales, $6.35@6.60.

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; sheep and lambs steady to weak; good to choice wethers, $4.90@5.50; fair to choice mixed, $3.75@4.75; native lambs, $4.50@7.10.

The Day on Wall Street.

New York, May 18.—Opening prices moved narrowly and in an irregular way. Missouri Pacific lost ½ and St. Louis and San Francisco second preferred ¾. Pennsylvania advanced ⅜, but dipped again to below Saturday's close. The market was moderately active.

Prices favored a momentary lower level, but as losses and offerings were equally small, shorts covered and there was a pretty general rally to Saturday's close, or above. Delaware and Hudson declined 1¼ and recovered fully. Northwestern lost 1¾. Pipe preferred 2¼. St. Louis Southwestern preferred 2¾ and Iowa Central preferred 3⅜.

Engagements of $1,760,000 gold for export and of $200,000 for transfer to New Orleans induced active selling throughout the list. Active stocks, which sold a point or more under Saturday, were New York Central, Southern Pacific, Norfolk and Western, Colorado and Southern, Wheeling and Lake Erie, Sloss-Sheffield Steel, Colorado Fuel and Pressed Steel Car preferred. In the less active list St. Louis Southwestern preferred dropped 4, New York, Chicago and St. Louis 3½, Wheeling and Lake Erie first preferred 3⅛, Northwestern 2¾, Biscuit preferred 2⅝ and Colorado and Southern second preferred 2.

Bonds were heavy at noon.

The pressure against the market increased and representative stocks of all classes wer forced down a point or more. New York Central and the Rock Island stocks lost 2@2¼, and their vulnerability acentuated the weakness at other points. Amalgamated moved up to 34¼ in marked contrast to the general liquidation. The market steadied at 1 o'clock.

The market hung in a dull way for a time. Northwestern rallying 1⅝. New York Central a point and others a large fraction. The whole market crumbled again and prices of many stocks went lower than before. St. Paul, New York Central and Missouria Pacific lost 2¼. Reading 2 and Baltimore and Ohio and Sloss-Sheffield Steel 3¼. A sharp rally followed again, reaching a point for New York Central, but the trading fell into extreme dullness at the recovery.

There were some sudden drops during the final hour in stocks belated in the downward movement, but prices generally were slightly above the lowest. Texas and Pacific Land Trust certificates declined 5½. St. Louis and San Francisco, Third Avenue and Virginia Chemical preferred 3½, Hocking Valley, Wheeling and Lake Erie, Colorado and Southern, Sugar, General Electric and Grass Twine 2 to 2¾, and United States Steel preferred 1⅛.

The closing was active and easy and within reah of the lowest.

New York Produce Market.

New York, May 18.—Butter—Receipts, 5,659; market firm; extra creamery, 22c; creamery, common to choice, $18@21½c; state dairy, 17@21c.

Cheese—Receipts, 1,335 pakages; market steady; state full cream, fancy small colored and white, new, 12¾c; new large colored, 11⅞c; new large white, 11¾c.

Eggs—Receipts, 15,900; market steady; state and Pennsylvania, 16½@17c; western storage packed, 16½c; western firsts, 16½c; Kentucky best, 15@15½c; southern best, 14½c.

Sugar—Raw, market steady; fair refining, 3 13-16c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3 11 16c; molasses sugar, 3c; refined, market steady; crushed, $5.45; powdered, $4.95; granulated, $4.85.

Coffee—Market quiet; No. 7 Rio, 5½c.

Molasses—Market firm; New Orleans, 31@40c.

The Oil Market.

Toledo, Ohio, May 17.—Oil—North Lima, $1.14; South Lima and Indiana, $1.09.

Fort Wayne Markets.

Fort Wayne, Ind., May 16.—Spring wheat flour, $4@4.50; winter, bl., $3.75@4.25; Graham, $1.75 per cwt.; buckwheat, $2.65 per cwt.; corn meal, bolted, $1.50 per cwt.; corn meal, unbolted, $1.50 per cwt.

New Wheat—71c bu.
Corn—42c bu.
Cloverseed—$6@7.
Timothy Seed—$1.25@1.50.
Oats—33@35c bu.
Rye—50c bu.
Barley—45c bu.
Chop Feed—$1.25 per cwt.
Oil Meal—$1.50 per cwt.
Flax Seed—$1.25.
Hides—Green, 7c; salted, 8c.
Calf Hides—Green, 10c; salted, 11c.
Wool—Unwashed, 18c; washed, 22c.
Bran—Ton, $19.00.
Shorts—Ton, $19.00.
Middlings—Ton, $20.
Hogs—On foot, $7.
Dressed Hogs—$8.40.
Sheep—On foot, $3@3.50; dressed, 7@8c lb.
Lambs—On foot, $4.50@5; dressed, 8c lb.
Calves—On foot, $5.50@6.00; dressed, 9c.
Steers—On foot, $4@5.00; dressed, $6@7.
Beef Cows—On foot, $2.50@3.50; dressed, 4½@5½c lb.

City Hay Market.

Timothy—$14@15.
Mixed—$8.00@11.00.
Clover—$9@10.
Straw—$5.00@6.00.

Produce

Butter—14c lb.
Creamery—30c lb.
Eggs—14@15c.
Lard—11c lb.
Chickens—11c lb.
Dressed Chickens—14c lb.
Potatoes—45@50c bu.
Honey—14@15c lb.
Maple Syrup—$1.25 gal.

PROPOSE TO SELL BY METER ONLY

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sumers have resorted to the use of rubber tubes, bored-out mixers, straight pipes and other dangerous appliances in the use of such gas, which are not only highly wasteful of the gas, but dangerous to such users and the public generally, and,

Whereas, It is important in the interest of such consumers and of the public to provide and secure proper methods for the safe and economical use of such gas, and,

Whereas, By the ordinances of the city of Fort Wayne and the laws of the state of Indiana, under and by virtue of which said company is required to furnish and supply factories and all other consumers alike and without discrimination, notwithstanding the supply is insufficient for the use of all, and,

Whereas, It is desirable and for the public interests that such gas for fuel purposes be supplied for domestic use in preference to its use by factories and other large consumers of fuel;

Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises and of the mutual convenants herein contained, it is hereby agreed by and between the parties hereto as follows:

First, said company, its successors or assigns, shall at its or their expense, and free of cost to the consumers, on or before the 1st day of October, 1903, furnish to each consumer of natural gas a correct meter of standard make, which shall be put in and properly connected with the gas pipes by such consumer before the 1st day of November, 1903, and so placed and connected that such gas used shall be used and passed through said meter before being used by such consumer.

Such meter shall be placed and located on the premises of said consumer, where used, at a point mutually agreed upon by the company, its successors and assigns, and such consumer, and shall be located so as to be open to view at all times to said consumer and the agents and representatives of said company, its successors and assigns. Such meter shall be and remain the property of said company, whose agents and representatives shall have the right to enter upon the premises where said meter is located to inspect, test, correct, repair or replace the same, and to renew it when its use is abandoned. It shall be the duty of said company, and said company hereby agrees for itself, its successors or assigns, to furnish to each consumer a copy of the monthly statement of the reading of the meter through which said gas is supplied and used.

Par. 2. In consideration of the furnishing of said meters and of the covenants and agreements on the part of said company herein contained, the said company, its successors and assigns, shall be and are hereby authorized from and after the first day of November, 1903, to supply all such gas through and by meter measurement, and shall hereafter charge and be entitled to receive for all natural gas used, the sum of twenty-six and one half cents per thousand cubic feet.

Par. 3. Said company, for itself, its successors and assigns, hereby agrees to supply demands for such gas as follows: First, for use in cook stoves and other small heating appliances in dwelling houses; secondly, for other domestic use; thirdly, for heating schools and churches, and fourth, any surplus thereafter may be used to supply such other uses as may be requested; but all such consumers shall, as a condition to the right to receive such gas, use the same through such meters and conform to all reasonable rules and regulations for the safe and proper use of such gas as may be adopted by said company, its successors or assigns.

Par. 4. It is further agreed if the supply of such gas is, at any time, insufficient to meet the needs and demands of all consumers in said city, that said company, its successors or assigns, shall have the right to cut off and cease to furnish factories and other large consumers of such gas, while such insufficient supply continues, and give the preference in the supply of such gas to the consumers thereof in cook stoves and for other domestic uses, in the order hereinbefore mentioned.

MAYOR DOESN'T KNOW.

Mayor Berghoff this afternoon stated that the proposition of the company was about what he had expected, and said that he would at once transmit it to the city council so that it might come up at the next meeting. Asked his opinion of the outcome the mayor said:

"I haven't the slightest idea what the council will do with it. It is one of those lively questions with which the new council will have to deal. I regret that the company does not guarantee to maintain any degree of pressure, but the company assures me that it cannot do so. They say it will cost $100,000 to meter the city, and that they are expending this amount simply on a gamble as to the matter of supply."

The proposed rate is the same as that paid at Wabash.

There will be a special meeting of Zion's Walther League this evening.

Dr. and Mrs. George S. Ames, of Muncie, were guests of relatives in the city Sunday. Mrs. Ames will remain throughout the week.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Eight-room house. Call at 812 Begue street. 18-2t

FOR RENT—If you need money, read ad. on second page, first column. 7-30-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room, with or without board. Call at 707 West Jefferson street. 18-2t

FOR RENT—Rooms furnished complete, with bath and hot water, suitable for one or two persons. Call 236 Douglas avenue. 15-2t

FOR RENT—Several desirable houses and business rooms; will be pleased to show on application. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, gas and bath, first or second floor. 430 East Washington street. 14-4t

FOR RENT—A nicely furnished room with board. All modern conveniences. Call at 818 Monroe St., between Wayne and Berry. 5-6-tf

FOR RENT—A furnished cottage for light housekeeping on West Berry street; also front and back parlors on first floor, with board. Address, C. A. D., care General Delivery, city. 5-12-1m

FOR RENT—Lodge room—Can be had by parties desiring it on Monday evening, at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new phone. 4-10-tf

FOR RENT—We have a rent list. Call and see it at our office. We have a for sale list of improved and unimproved property in different parts of the city. Call at office and see it. We also have first-class insurance—fire, tornado, accident and casualty. Schrader & Wilson, 709 Court St., first floor. tf

WANTS

WANTED—A cook, at 225 West Berry St. Mrs. Will Olds. 4-25-tf

WANTED—A dining room girl at Hope hospital. 5-18-tf

WANTED—Two laundresses, at once. Apply Allen County Orphan's home. 5-18-tf

WANTED—Young man to drive wagon. Inquire at Geller's bakery. 18-2t

WANTED—Girl; small house, small family; no washing. Inquire 2413 Oliver street. 18-2t

WANTED—A good girl to assist with housework. 1114 South Harrison St. 16t2

WANTED—A girl who can do plain cooking. Apply 634 W. Wayne St. Mrs. A. E. Hoffman. 15-4t

WANTED—A good cook. Mrs. P. A. Hamilton, southwest corner Clinton and Lewis Sts. 2-21-sat&wed-tf

WANTED—A man of good habits, on the West Side Fruit Farm, Ontario street. Route 1; 'phone 6402. 15-2t

WANTED—A girl to sew; one that is good with needle; steady employment. Address No. 5, care Sentinel. 5-4-tf

WANTED—Good strong boy, 15 or 16 years of age, to learn the tinner trade. Call 115 East Columbia street. 5-14-tf

WANTED—A house of ten or twelve rooms. Must be within walking distance of the Electric Lights. Address, House, Sentinel office. 5-6-tf

WANTED—A middle-aged or elderly man to take care of one horse, attend to yard and do chores; reference required. Call at 7:30 Tuesday evening, 115 West Lewis street.

WANTED—Boilermakers, experienced in railroad work, for western shops; free transportation. Write or call at room 15, Stafford hotel, Chicago. 5-11-tf

WANTED—An experienced Nursery Salesman. Good opening to the right party. Address Charlton Nursery Co., Established 1865. Rochester, N. Y. 5-5 e o d 12t

WANTED—I repair and recover umbrellas at lowest prices; new ribs, 10c; recovers, from 50c and up. A. Winestine, at Field's Clothing Store, 806 Barr street. 2-25-tf

WANTED—Salesmen for full line of fruit and ornamental trees; pay weekly; outfit free; steady work. Lawrence Nursery Co., Lawrence, Kan. 4-15-3mo

WANTED—At once, a first-class solicitor of good address; good position to right party; permanent employment. Call or address J. G. Siersdorfer, care Sentinel. tf

WANTED—$20.00 per 1,000 paid weekly for copying letters at home; no names to supply or envelopes to address; nothing to buy. Addressed envelope for copy. Practical Mfg. Co., Newark, N. J. 16-23

WANTED—Every man, woman and child to call at Citizen's Trust company, corner Berry and Clinton, and ask for one of the handsomest banks, furnished to all who desire to save money. Capital, $200,000; interest paid on deposits. 8-tf

WANTED—I can repair your sewing machine at your home in city, town or country. Give me your address on a postal card. W. A. McDaniel, 738 West Superior street. I can always sell you a good sewing machine from $5 to $15. Call at above number. 5-14-1m

WANTED—Men to learn barber trade; years saved; thoroughly systematized course; established 1893; branches, St. Louis, New Orleans, San Francisco, Omaha; inducements to distant applicants; busy season now; tools given; positions waiting; particulars mailed. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 16-6t

WANTED—At Mrs. Fitzgerald's Employment office, 201 W. Washington street, first-class cooks, side dining room girls, one head waitress, also one porter; experienced private house cooks and second girls; wages $3 to $5 per week. Places both in and out of the city waiting for help. 10-2-tf

WANTED—Investors: The Pittsburg Tunnel Mining company affords you a splendid opportunity for an investment. Some facts worth considering and remembering: They own ten full mining claims in Thunder Mountain, Idaho county, Idaho. These claims are adjacent to the Dewey and Sunnyside. They have a tunnel already driven which carries an average of over $6 values per ton. The ore is free milling and can be handled for less than $2 per ton. We are ready for the mill, ten stamps of which will be shipped within the next thirty days. As soon as the mill is erected we will begin to earn dividends. Shares can be had for a short time at 20 cts. per share. For further particulars, call on or address, The Pittsburg Tunnel Mining Company, Rooms No. 4-5, 2d floor, Arcade bldg., Fort Wayne, Ind. 4-16-eod1m

Mrs. Jacob Blunker, of Pontiac street, daughter of Janitor DeHaven, of the city hall, is seriously ill with pleurisy.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Six room house in Lakeside. Address Home, Sentinel office. 5-6-tf

FOR SALE—Household furniture; also refrigerator. Call at 812 Begue street. 18-2t

FOR SALE—Modern 7-room residence, on south side; a bargain. Address, No. 50, care Sentinel. 4-24-1m

FOR SALE—Or exchange for city property, 70 acre farm. Inquire at 902 Columbia avenue. 4-27-1m

FOR SALE—Nearly new 9 room house and 50 foot lot; West Superior St.; a bargain; $2,200. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new 7 room house, with electric lights; near Fox homestead, Fox St.; $2,250. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Corner lot facing Reservoir Park; paved street. Price only $1,750. Wm. J. Lennart. 16t6

FOR SALE—Residence on Fox street, near electric works. Owner has left city. Will name bargain price. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—House and full lot on West Williams street, $2,250; a real bargain. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7-tf

FOR SALE—27½x150 feet on Washington boulevard, east of Broadway; 7-room dwelling. Price $2,400. Wm. J. Lennart. 16t6

FOR SALE—First-class second-hand building brick; cleaned and delivered for $5 per m. Emmett Martin, Hanna and Buchanan Sts. Telephone 6379. 5-9-tf

FOR SALE—Nine room dwelling, with bath, large barn, full lot, on South Calhoun street. Can be had at a bargain. Owner leaving city. Wm. J. Lennart. 16t6

FOR SALE—At a bargain, a nice residence on Washington boulevard, containing 10 rooms and bath; large lot. Address, "Boulevard," this office. 4-28-tf

FOR SALE—Five-room cottage on Putnam street; at a bargain if taken at once. Grosjean & Son, 35-36-37 Pixley Blk. 'Phone 1545. Open evenings. 25d&wlmo

FOR SALE—An elegant big black horse; 17 hands high; 6 years old. Apply at 818 Webster street, or at office of Foster's Waist Factory. 5-8-tf

FOR SALE—A large rooming house in central part of the city, 20 rooms and all modern conveniences. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—35 feet front, 84 feet deep, south side of West Creighton Ave., near Calhoun, $1,250; situated second east of Mrs. Henderson's property. Henry M. Williams. 3-18tf

FOR SALE—Houses in all parts of city; also will build you a house from $1,000 up. Grosjean & Son, 35-36-37 Pixley Blk. 'Phone 1545. Open evenings. 25d&wlmo

FOR SALE—Two new eight-room modern houses, on Columbia avenue, one square from bridge. Grosjean & Son, 35-36-37 Pixley Blk. 'Phone 1545. Open evenings. 25d&wlmo

FOR SALE—Two new six-room houses on Eliza street; both kinds of water and gas; electric wired; if sold at once $1,800 each. Grosjean & Son, 35-36-37 Pixley Blk. Home 'phone 1545. 25d&wlmo

FOR SALE—Eight-room house on Third street; bath complete with motor; electric lights; pavements paid; fruit; fine cellar; if sold soon, $3,000. Grosjean & Son, 35-36-37 Pixley Blk. Home 'phone 1545. 25d&wlmo

FOR SALE—Excellent building lots, in Jacobs' addition, on North Clinton street; fifteen minutes' walk from court house, three minutes from Spy Run avenue electric cars; for sale on favorable terms. J. H. Jacobs. 3-10-tf

FOR SALE—The Anderson property, on Spy Run avenue; 11 acres, ten minutes' walk from court house; will make 71 lots; figure what the lots are worth yourself, then come and see me. Geo. K. Torrence, Sole Agent, No. 9 Arcade. 5-14-tf

FOR SALE—Special Bargains—Lot 62x250, on asphalt street in Bloomingdale, with five-room house; seven-room house on East Butler street (north front), can be sold with 25 feet or 50 feet; very desirable half lot on East Butler street; several small properties on Walton avenue, well located for railroaders; new seven-room house on Fairfield avenue, south of Creighton; choice lots in Swinney's and Industrial Park additions, sold on easy terms. Louis F. Curdes, 3 and 4 Pixley-Long block. 5-11-tf

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LOST—A pocketbook containing receipts and two certificates of deposit. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to this office. 15-3t

LOST—On Force street, a gold locket; four red stones, one white; engraved E. J. M. and A. M. Finder leave at Wayne hotel and receive reward. 18-2t

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Choice corner lot, West Wayne St.; $3,100. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Two choice lots on Columbia ave.; only $750 each; $1,450 for both. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—A bargain, at bargain price, residence West DeWald, near Calhoun. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Seven room house, full lot, $1,575; central location; South Wayne. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Property on nearly every street in the city. See what I have before you buy. F. G. Gauntt. 1-28-tf

FOR SALE—Nearly new modern house; 9 rooms, hot water heat; Washington boulevard; $4,200. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Lots in Vankahlden's addition, in the Broadway grove, from $250 to $300. W. E. Doud, Agent. 7tf

FOR SALE—A 6, 7 and 8-room house on East Lewis street, $2,000 to $2,500; a 7 and 8-room house on East Jefferson street. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—In Bloomingdale, 11 houses, $1,000 to $3,000; in Lakeside, seven houses, $1,300 to $4,000. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

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FOR SALE—8 modern houses on West DeWald, West Williams and West Butler streets, $2,400 to $3,000; 7 cottages in South Wayne, $1,100 to $2,000. G. Davis, 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Two beautiful suburban homes just at the edge of the city, modern house on Liberty street, $2,000; 3 modern houses on Spy Run avenue, have only been built a year. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—25 good farms, 40 to 240 acres, in Aboite, Milan, Marion, St. Joe, Perry, Cedar Creek, Jefferson and Pleasant townships, $40 to $75 per acre; some will trade for city property. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Vacant lots in all parts of the city on which I will build you a home after your own design and sell on monthly payments; office open every evening. G. Davis, Rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

FOR SALE—Two special bargains in modern houses on West Berry and West Washington streets, also five modern houses on Washington boulevard and 6 on West Wayne street, $2,400 to $10,000. G. Davis, 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 1-19-tf

ALL AFFLICTED with a cough of long standing resulting from la grippe or weak lungs, or hemorrhages, should try my cough and lung syrup, an old Indian remedy, made of roots and herbs; it has never been known to fail. Call at 1511 Fairfield avenue. 3-31-tf

FOR SALE—A modern ten-room house on N. E. cor. of Creighton ave. and Harrison street. This is one of the best pieces of property on the south side and can be had at a bargain price. Also 45-foot vacant lot on Pontiac street, near Lafayette; price $650. G. Davis, rooms 17-18 Pixley-Long block. 3-27tf

FOR SALE—A 50-foot lot on Creighton Ave., DeWald or Butler St. between Calhoun and Hoagland, brings $2,200 to $2,400. I offer four 35-foot lots (only 7½ feet less space on each side), south fronts, on Butler St., west of Webster, and will sell two of them at $1,400 each, if taken soon; the other two will then be advanced to $1,600 each; pavements and sewers paid; 10-year-old maple trees in grass plat between sidewalk and curb. Apply to Henry M. Williams, or to any real estate agent. 18dtf

FOR SALE—A seven-room house on East Jefferson street, with good barn, $2,200; a nine room house on East DeWald street, with modern improvements, rents for $17 per month, $2,600; vacant lot on Taylor street, near Broadway, $750—want an offer; a seven room house on Gay street, $1,650; an eight room house on Hugh street, near Francis, $2,350; a nine room house on Eliza street, $2,400; a six room house on Smith street, $1,400; a seven room house on Hoffman street, $1,850. A good grocery for sale; sold at a bargain; call at once. John T. Wagner, Real Estate and Loans, 23 Court St. 1-9-tf

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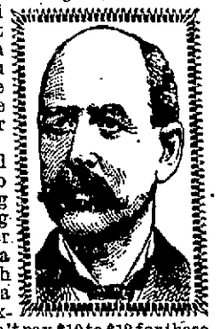

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SWITCHMEN ARE IN CONVENTION

Representatives of 20,000 Men Gather in Indianapolis This Week.

O. R. C. MEETING CLOSES

Will Re-elect Present Officers and Select Place of Convention Today.

Indianapolis, Ind., May 18.—The national convention of the Switchmen's Union of North America opened today in Tomlinson hall with an open session. The convention was called to order by O. C. Williams, of the local lodge.

The miners' union was represented by W. B. Wilson, secretary and treasurer, who delivered an address that aroused considerable enthusiasm.

The convention was preceded by a parade through the down town streets by the delegates, who represented at least 20,000 switchmen from all parts of the country. One of the chief subjects that will come up during the convention is the question of joining the American Federation of Labor. The feeling is divided. It is believed there will be no opposition to the re-election of Grand Master Hawley.

O. R. C. Convention Closing.

Pittsburg, May 18.—The Order of Railway Conductors have just about completed their twenty-ninth biennial "reunion." Tomorrow the election of officers will be held and the choosing of the next place of meeting. In all but one instance the present officers will have no opposition for re-election. There will be a contest for one of the trusteeships, but it is believed that this will not cause much excitement. The most interesting fight will be for the next convention. It now lies between Portland, Ore., and Boston, with chances favoring the former. The question of the amount of increase to be made in the salaries of the grand officers, it is believed, will be settled before adjournment today.

Today the local divisions of the Ladies' auxiliary gave an exemplification of the ritual work for the entertainment of the grand officers and delegates of their order.

Boilermakers' Ball Club.

The Pennsylvania boilermakers have organized a ball club, which has some of the best local ball material in it. Following is the personnel of the team: G. H. Schafer and A. J. Rondot, pitchers; J. J. Haas, catcher; W. Giffin, center field; G. W. Petzinger, right field; Jesse Rayl, left field; C. L. Groves, shortstop; E. L. Litot, first base; W. Strader, second base; A. J. Lauer, third base. This club has sent a challenge to the boilermakers in the Wabash shops and the game will probably come off next Saturday afternoon at a place to be decided upon later.

Had a Wrist Injured.

Machinist George Depner, of the Pittsburg shops, caught his foot in a hole in the floor at the shop this morning and in the fall which resulted his right hand and wrist were badly sprained. The injury is likely to keep Mr. Depner from his work for some days.

Will Resume Night Work.

The Western Gas Construction company, which was compelled to abandon night work in its machine shop about two weeks ago, on account of not being able to make castings fast enough to supply the machinists, will put on the night force again tonight. Twenty-two men were let out when night work was suspended. Some of these have secured employment elsewhere and a few have left the city, but those remaining will be taken back.

The Accidents.

Grant Graham was thrown down and severely injured yesterday while attempting to get upon an incoming Lake Erie and Western train at the Wabash crossing, southwest of the city, yesterday at 11 o'clock. He was thrown away from the wheels and his injuries are only cuts and bruises. Graham is a farmer, living near the scene of the accident.

Pennsylvania train No. 21, in charge of Conductor Sylvester McMahon and Engineer William Gates, had her engine, two day coaches, a sleeper and the dining car derailed by the spreading of the rails a short distance west of Plymouth Saturday afternoon. Nobody injured, but the tracks were torn up and it was not until yesterday that they were cleared of debris and repaired completely.

Will be a Costly Exhibition.

The engines that will figure in the collision during the railway carnival in August cost $2,400 delivered to the Nickel Plate at Hammond. They are to be repainted and put in good condition and the seller guarantees them to be able to reach a speed of thirty-five miles an hour when they reach the meeting point on the collision tracks. A local manufacturer agrees to take the engines from the carnival people at the close of the exhibition at the figures named in the foregoing lines. The general committee of the carnival commenced advertising the event this morning. They are having a number of attractive programs printed—one a colored poster, 4x7 feet—which will be generally posted all over this part of the country.

Has a New Clerk.

George W. Hill, signal inspector for the Pennsylvania, has employed a new clerk in the person of Reinhart Stetter, who succeeds Arthur Hubbins, transferred to Chicago to work during the elevation of the tracks.

Gone to a Convention.

The annual meeting of boiler builders and shop foremen is being held in Columbus, Ohio, today, and James Murray, foreman of the Wabash boiler shops, has gone there to attend it. These meetings result in great good to the men engaged in that kind of work. By the exchange of ideas they are enabled to arrive at the best methods of doing all kinds of boiler work without the expensive experiments which under different circumstances might have to be made. During Mr. Murray's absence Pat Maley is looking after affairs in the Wabash boiler shop.

Yesterday's Excursions.

The steam roads of Fort Wayne yesterday brought 128 more excursionists into this city than they took out; or, in other words, the visitors outnumbered the citizens who left the city on pleasure jaunts to the figure named. In the incoming business the Wabash led, bringing 616 people from the west and 200 from the east. The Lake Erie and Western came next with 300 people from Connersville and points this side of that city, and the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton came third, with 180 excursionists, the majority of them from Findlay. Outgoing, the Grand Rapids and Indiana led, taking 516 people to Rome City and 468 to Decatur. The Wabash took 109 excursionists to Toledo and the Lake Erie and Western took seventy-five Fort Wayne people to Cincinnati. On this excursion the train took several hundred people into the Queen city, and on the northbound excursion there were 600 people handled, but only about one-half of them came to Fort Wayne.

Took in Three Applicants.

At a special meeting of A. G. Porter lodge, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen, yesterday afternoon, V. H. Henchan, N. Coaler and J. F. Grady were taken into membership. Another applicant was unable to attend, but will come up here for the purpose of initiation at the next special meeting. Yesterday's meeting was held especially for the accommodation of applicants who could not come to the Monday night meetings. All the above named are residents of Muncie, where there is no lodge of the firemen. A. G. Porter lodge now has a membership of 220 and is one of the most prosperous lodges in the country.

Moves to California.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Hicks, who have been living in Minneapolis for two or three years, have moved to San Barnardino, Cal., where he is the general foreman of the Santa Fe shops. Mrs. Hicks was formerly Miss Rodeheaver, granddaughter of Engineer and Mrs. Tony Kelker, and formerly a resident of this city.

Fell While at Work.

Frank Brewster, of the Nickel Plate round house, fell in a fainting fit this morning, while at work. Three months ago Mr. Brewster was injured by a piece of coal falling out of the coal dock chute and hitting him on the head. He just reported for duty this morning, having been off all that time on account of the accident. It is feared that he sustained some brain trouble through the blow on the head, but it is believed that he will entirely recover in a short time.

New Time Card Sunday.

The Pennsylvania will put a new time card into effect next Sunday and the person who contemplates a trip over that line after that date will do well to note the changes, else he may get left. The new time card does not show any new trains, but some of the numbers are changed and the time of departure of nearly all of them will be changed. The running time of two of them has also been reduced, bringing New York and Chicago within twenty-two hours' ride of each other. Following is the time card as it will appear next Sunday, the eastbound being designated by numbers devisable by two and the westbound by the odd numbers:

No. 6	5:30 a. m.
No. 36	7:05 a. m.
No. 30	12:20 p. m.
No. 22	2:50 p. m.
No. 8	7:45 p. m.
No. 38, arrives	10:55 p. m.
No. 2 (limited)	9:52 p. m.
No. 24	11:26 p. m.
No. 15	3:25 a. m.
No. 5	4:25 a. m.
No. 37	7:25 a. m.
No. 39	11:49 a. m.
No. 23	11:48 a. m.
No. 9	4:15 p. m.
No. 35, arrives	7:15 p. m.

Train 23 is the old 21, which passes through this city at 10:30, and under the new schedule it will pass the city one hour and twenty-eight minutes later. No 30 of the new time card is No. 22 of the old, and No. 22 of the new card is No. 20 of the old card. The latter will arrive here one hour and thirty minutes earlier than under the present schedule.

Industrial Notes.

Patrolman Arthur D. Rogers, of the Pennsylvania, is quite ill, with every symptom of an attack of appendicitis.

F. A. Schramm and Henry C. Horman, Pittsburg shopmen, are sick and off duty.

H. J. Mouser, a truckman at the Pittsburg freight house, is sick and off duty.

Pittsburg Fireman E. S. Huffman was taken sick while out on the road yesterday.

Supt. J. B. Barnes returned to his home in Springfield today, after a business visit here.

G. W. Hill, signal inspector for the Pennsylvania, has returned from a business trip east.

Henry Linton, a blacksmith helper, resigned his position at the Wabash shops this morning.

John Kaiser and F. G. Conrade, who were sick a few days, have returned to their duties in the Pittsburg planing mills.

C. B. Roth resumed work at the Pittsburg round house this morning, after a week's absence on account of sickness.

A. C. Davis has returned from a four days' eastern trip in the interest of the Pennsylvania company.

Frank Benoy and J. E. Noble went to Decatur, Ind., this morning in the interest of the Bass Foundry and Machine works.

Louis Smith, the old sweeper at the Pittsburg pattern shop, reported for duty this morning, after a sickness which dates from May 1.

The framework of the Wabash master mechanic's building was erected today and the carpenters will be putting the roof upon it in a day or two.

Mrs. R. J. Lyons, wife of the assistant road foreman of the Pittsburg, will go to Decatur in a few days to visit relatives.

J. P. Labbe, of the Pittsburg copper shop, will be married next Wednesday morning at St. Peter's Catholic church. He has taken a week's leave of absence.

Boilermaker William Backes, of the Pittsburg shops, has taken a weeks' lay off, which he will spend at James lake and West lake. Mr. Backes is a very successful fisherman.

Patrick Boderick and A. J. Bresler, Pennsylvania firemen, are off duty, the former on account of an injury sustained while out on the road Saturday.

T. J. Kucher, of the claim agent department of the Nickel Plate, went to Tippecanoe this afternoon to get some evidence that will be needed in a law suit at Rochester next Wednesday.

G. P. Stoll, G. H. Gerkens, A. G. Kleint, Paul Meyers and G. J. Tegtmeyer, who were injured, have resumed their respective places in the Pittsburg machine shop. Mr. Stoll was off duty three months.

William Sherbondy has returned from Columbus, where he spent several days in the interest of the electric department of the Columbus, Sandusky and Hocking road, a Pennsylvania line.

Messrs. J. Sullivan and I. H. Shorey have returned from St. Louis, where they attended a banquet given by the Wabash Veteran corps. They had a pleasant time.

The St. Joe Athletic club had an interesting meeting at its club rooms on Spy Run avenue yesterday. This was one of the first regular summer meetings, of which there are to be many this season.

Miss Minnie Franke, daughter of Contractor Christian Franke, is out after undergoing a difficult surgical operation for an affection of the throat. It is believed that the lady will soon be restored to health.

H. W. G. Heine, of the Pittsburg boiler shop, has the head of a big bass nailed upon his locker door. When alive the fish weighed nearly four pounds and Mr. Heine caught it at Rome City yesterday.

William Reiter and a box of cigars appeared at the Bass blacksmith shop this morning and at the close of the "anvil chorus" and the distribution of the cigars among the men, Mr. Reiter resumed work. He was married last Tuesday.

Clarence Haynes and William Ortman, of the Pennsylvania superintendent's offices, caught thirty-two fine bass in the Kankakee Saturday. They could have caught more, but the law draws the mark at that point and they are law-abiding citizens.

Machinist Henry Galland, of the Pennsylvania shops, is laying off for the purpose of entertaining his cousin, who arrived here direct from France a few days ago. The visitor will remain here and possibly take a position in the Pennsylvania shops.

A. S. Nichols, an electrician in the employ of the Pennsylvania, with headquarters in Allegheny, spent Sunday with his parents in this city. He had as a guest for dinner yesterday Electrician Sherbondy, of Grand Rapids, who is here spending a short vacation.

As a result of the resignation of C. B. Geiger, mentioned several days ago by The Sentinel, a number of promotions have occurred at the Pennsylvania freight house and Robert E. Fleming, stenographer to General Manager C. T. Strawbridge, of the Bass works, has been employed to fill the vacant place.

The night clerks at the Pennsylvania freight office, who beat the day clerks twice, went up against a bad proposition when they tackled the Lake Shore freight house's ball team yesterday morning, on the Bloomingdale grounds. Only six innings were played, with a score of 20 to 17 in favor of the Lake Shores.

The supreme court of Pennsylvania has affirmed the verdict of the common pleas court in the case of Frank Kuntz vs. the Nickel Plate road. Kuntz was permanently crippled by being struck by a train on a street crossing and because the engineer did not ring the bell, warning him of the approach of the train, he sued and got a judgment for $9,000.

The ball game at Centlivre's park Saturday afternoon between the teams of the Wabash and the Western Gas machine shops, resulted in a score of 9 to 10 in favor of the Wabash boys. It was an interesting game throughout. Zimmerman, McCoy and Hellinger were the battery for the Wabash, and Smith and Doyle composed the battery for the gas boys.

Tomorrow a well known Pennsylvania passenger brakeman will leave for a neighboring city, where he will be married Tuesday to a most estimable lady. The marriage is supposed to be a profound secret and the prospective groom will be surprised to read this. He and his bride will visit Washington, Philadelphia and New York on their wedding trip.

Harry Quicksell, agent of the Star Union line, will attend the sixteenth annual gathering of the American Association of Local Freight Agents in Savannah, Ga., June 9 to 13. Other freight agents in the city will probably be unable to attend the convention.

The report of the Topeka convention of the Y. M. C. A., as presented to the local association yesterday by Ed M. Pfeiffer, who took a stenographic account of the convention, was well arranged and well presented. Those who listened to it say it was one of the most concise and comprehensible reports of a meeting they ever heard. Ed Pfeiffer is a stenographer at the Pennsylvania offices.

The fact that Perrine, Armstrong & Co., the lumbermen, were looking for laborers this morning, probably gave rise to the rumor which was in circulation concerning an alleged strike at the mills. There is no strike there and the employes, it is understood, have no occasion for dissatisfaction. The company, like all of the rest of the factories in Fort Wayne, is short of laborers and has its agent out in the effort to hire some men.

CONDITION YET CRITICAL.

The condition of Emma Long Stacey, the Fort Wayne girl who was discovered in New York some days ago desperately ill as the result of alleged criminal practice, is said to be yet in an extremely critical condition. A relative who hurried eastward upon receipt of the news of her situation has just returned, and brings the information that the woman accused of performing the criminal operation is at liberty under $2,000 bonds.

WAS A RECORD-BREAKER.

The Southwestern interurban line Sunday hauled a total of 5,071 passengers between this city and Wabash. Nearly every car during the day was heavily loaded and it was one of the heaviest day's business yet enjoyed by the Southwestern. The Southwestern will send a special car westward Thursday evening after the close of the circus performance.

YOUNG TAFT FINED.

South Norwalk, Conn., May 18.—Walbridge Taft, of New York, and Edward Lawrence White, of Lowell, Mass., students at a private school here, who were charged with assaulting John D. Milne, superintendent of the gas department of the Connecticut Railway Lighting company, were in the Norwalk town court today to answer the charges. Taft, who is a nephew of Governor Taft, of the Philippines, was found guilty of technical assault by Judge Lockwood, who said his (Taft's) conduct was perfectly justifiable, and what he would have done under like circumstances. But on the ground of technical guilt he imposed a nominal fine of $1 and costs. White was fined $25. Both students took an appeal to the next term of the superior court.

MADE HIM TAKE AN OATH.

Vienna, May 18.—In the course of the recent demonstration at Kreuz, Croatia, the Croats, according to late advices, invaded a castle belonging to a land owner named Fodrocz, whom they seized and carried in triumph to a church where they compelled him to swear that he would henceforth display the Croatian flag over his castle and vote against the government. The rioters also extorted a signed and stamped engagement from M. Fodrocz that he would make no claim for indemnity for the damage done to his castle.

FIRE IN ROYAL PALACE.

Berlin, May 18.—A new heating apparatus, which was on trial at the new palace, Potsdam, set fire to the apartments of the crown prince, Frederick William, today and destroyed the silk hanging, carpets and furniture. As the walls were fireproof the flames were prevented from spreading. A report on the subject was sent to Emperor William.

A JEALOUS MAN'S DEED.

Blairsville, Pa., May 18.—At Bairdstown, on the Conemaugh river, near hear, Albert Palmer, a recently discharged convict from the western penitentiary, shot and killed Mollie Beck, with whom he has been keeping company. He then tried to kill the girl's mother, but the bullet missed its mark, after which he shot himself through the heart. The cause of the tragedy was jealousy and the refusal of the young woman to marry him while she had a husband still living.

A REAL ESTATE DEAL.

The old Kline property, on Columbia street, has changed hands twice within the past week and is now in possession of Miss Frances Julliard, the Washington street dressmaker. The property was for half a century occupied by the late Jacob Kline, a pioneer grocer, and more recently became prominent as the scene of the Kline-Jackson tragedy. The property was first bought of the estate by Charles Clark and afterwards sold to Miss Julliard. The final consideration was $4,800 and both transfers were conducted through the agency of P. H. Kane.

LIPTON BUYS A TUG.

Glasgow, May 18.—Sir Thomas Lipton has purchased the tug Cruiser to convoy the Shamrock I to the United States. The steam yacht Erin will convoy the cup challenger. The yachts will be ready for the ocean passage May 30.

THE UMPIRE'S SCORN.

Melancholy had been doing her best to mark the umpire for her own, but up to the eighth inning, she had not been able to leave a dent, says the New York Times. He was one of the few whom nature seems to have especially thrust upon them in this life. Quick of speech, haughty and overbearing, and wholly indifferent to the rights of others, he delivered his decision in a way which almost invariably commanded respect, even though it failed to carry conviction. But the penalty which he paid for success in his career, was a heavy one. His disposition was irretrievably ruined. He had become habitually sarcastic. A player on whom three strikes had just been called was speaking up with all the enthusiasm of a man who realizes that this is a free country and that the voice of the people as it ascends from the bleaching boards is on his side.

"Free strikes nottin'!" was the loud, laconic comment which caused the umpire to look upon him with a majestic glare and exclaim:

"What's dat?"

"I said free strikes nottin', an' dat's whut."

The altercation proceeded until, in a paroxysm of indignation, the player lifted his bat as a weapon.

"Look out!" shouted one of the players. "He's goin' to hit ye."

But the umpire never flinched.

"Don't ye have no fears," he said, as he stood in statuesque defiance. "After whut he's been doin' at the bat I don't feel that I'm runnin' no risks whatever. He may strike at me, but there ain't any mortal chance of his touchin' anything."

HE SAID TOO MUCH.

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, is noted for the tactful local hits he introduces into his speeches, says the New York Times. He is very observant, and takes care that his addresses shall bear some touch that will show that he has the interest of the particular locality in which he is speaking well in hand. Speaking in Springfield, Mass., during the last political campaign, he dwelt especially on the patriotism of the city.

"As I was driving down State street of your city this afternoon," he said, "I noticed a big boulder in Benton Park. It was placed there by the Sons of the American Revolution in this city to mark the spot where Shays' rebellion took place. Every time I have been in your city I have noticed that big boulder," and he continued to dilate on the patriotism that actuated the marking of such a spot.

After the speaking was over one of the prominent citizens came to him and said: "You're all right, senator! Your reference to that boulder was pretty good, but you went a little too far. It was all right to notice it today, but you should have been contented with that and not spoken of seeing it on previous visits, for that boulder was only put there day before yesterday.

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Crown Nainsook in choice colorings, stripe and floral effects, 12½c a yard.
Florizel Silk finished lawns, a fine fabric, printed in dainty patterns, 15c a yard.
Tula stripe Nainsook, one of the season's prettiest fabrics, 18c a yard.
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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, May 18.—Forecast for Indiana—Threatening, with probably thunderstorms tonight and Tuesday; fresh to brisk southerly winds.

CITY BREVITIES.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Long have gone to Buffalo, N. Y., on a visit.

An informal musicale will be given this week by Mrs. Cox, of South Calhoun street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bash have returned from a visit at St. Louis and Joplin, Mo.

Charles D. Root, of Hartford, Conn., is visiting his brother, W. H. Root, of Huntertown.

Miss Margery Coulter, of Chicago, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Yarnelle.

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All 50c regular brands Plug, 44c.
All 40c regular brands Plug, 34c.
Sweet Cuba Fine Cut, 35c lb.
Telegram Fine Cut, 25c lb.
Cremo Cigars, 3½c each.
National Emblem Cigars, 3 for 5c.
Artistic Cigars, 65c box.
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Cabbage and Tomato Plants, 5c a dozen; Branching Aster Plants, 10c per dozen; at S. BASH & CO.

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Best Picnic Hams, 11c lb.
Regular Sugar Cured Hams, 14c.
Fancy Breakfast Bacon, 16c lb.
Pure Country Lard, 12½c lb.
Strictly Fresh Eggs, 15c dozen.
Finest Country Roll Butter, 16c.
All best City Brands Flour, $3.60 barrel.
Large New Potatoes, 50c peck.
New Solid Cabbage, 4c lb.
Home Grown Asparagus, 3 bchs., 10c.
Extra Fancy Lemons, 20c dozen.
Large Sweet Oranges, 25c and 35c dozen.

FREIBURGER & MICHEL.

Mrs. Barney Plock, wife of the Pittsburg fireman, is preparing for a visit with relatives at Decatur. Mrs. J. M. Geiger, wife of the fireman, will visit relatives in Portland.

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Over 300 beautiful presents were given away, including Silver Tea Sets, Parlor Clocks, Gold Rings, Umbrellas, etc., during the past week at the great closing out Auction Sale, besides thousands of smaller presents.

Each Lady will again receive a present tomorrow afternoon during the sale which is for Ladies' only.

Remember we are going to close out our entire stock, including fixtures, and want you to come and see how the goods are being slaughtered.

Hundreds of articles going way below the cost of manufacture, and some only being 20 cents on the dollar.

35-inch Silver Tea Set sold Saturday evening for only $7.00.

$32.00 Diamond Ring for $10.50.

$18.00 Gold Headed Silk Umbrella, only brought $4.10.

$35.00 solid Gold Ladies' Watch went for $16.00.

$15.00 Gent's solid gold Ring sold for $3.85.

$10.00 solid gold Ladies' Set Ring went for $2.00.

$8.50 Cut Glass Bowl went for $2.75.

$15 Sterling Silver Tablespoon for $6.00.

Rogers' best Quality Teaspoons, worth $2.00 and $2.50 per set went for 50 and 60 cents.

Roger's Knives and Forks, worth $4.50 for $1.25 and $1.50.

In fact every article in the house to be had at your own price, you may select any article and we will put it up at once and offer same at Auction.

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FUNERAL OF MISS SANDERSON.

Paris, May 18.—The funeral of Sybil Sanderson, the American opera singer, who died in this city on Saturday from the effects of an acute attack of the grip, took place today at the Church of St. Honore D'Eylau and was largely attended by representatives of the operatic and theatrical world, including MM. Saint Saens and Massenet, the composers; M. Moulierat, M. Dalmas, Mlle. Granier and M. Eugene Mandick, operatic artists; Sir Henry Austin Lee, of the British embassy, and Lady Lee, Admiral and Madame De Jonquieres, representatives of the United States embassy, and many members of the American colony here. The floral offerings were so numerous that the casket was buried in flowers and even the hearse was transformed into a floral chariot. The usual Catholic funeral service was rendered. The surpliced choir was augmented by an orchestra and several prominent singers. M. Tisserand, the tenor, sang the "De Profundis," and M. Reder, the baritone, rendered "Ego Sum." Crowds surrounded the church and many persons were unable to gain entrance to the building. Among the floral offerings was a handsome piece from the Bohemian club, of San Francisco, and another from the artists of the Opera Comique. The body was taken to Pere-La-Chaise cemetery, where it was cremated.

GO-CARTS and HAMMOCKS.

Be sure and see the new line of Go-Carts we received late this afternoon. See our new Automobile Gear Go-Cart at a saving of $3.00 to $10. See the only Folding Go-Cart made with double springs. Do not buy the worthless trash on the market, when you can buy better for less money. Remember we sell all the first-class Fishing Tackle sold in the city. Remember our big line of Base Ball goods, Iron Wagons, Velocipedes, Automobiles cheaper than ever. See our big line of Hammocks; cheaper than ever. See the big line Ladies' Hair Ornaments, Underskirts, Underwear, Parasols, Fans, etc. See the Ladies' Black Mercerized Sateen Petticoats for $1.00, worth $2.00. Do your trading at the big store and save money.

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Loose Muscatel Raisins, 8c and 10c lb.
3 lb can Tomatoes, 8c can.
3 lb can Pumpkin, 7c can.
3 lb can California Peaches, 12½c can.
3 lb can Apricots and Green Gage, 12½c can.
Lima Beans, 8c can.
Gloss Soap, 3c bar.
3 lb box Gloss Starch, 18c.
Gold Dust, package, 18c.
Red Seal Lye, 9c, 3 for 25c.
Quaker Oats, 9c package.
Maple Flake, Grape-Nuts and Malta Vita, 12½c package.
Choice Country Butter, 14c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, 14c dozen.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

MAYOR BOOKWALTER HERE.

Mayor C. A. Bookwalter, of Indianapolis, was in the city greeting old friends today. Mr. Bookwalter is enjoying an automobiling trip over the northern part of the state.

LOWERED AMATEUR RECORD.

William F. Geiger lowered the amateur record at the golf links on Saturday afternoon, making nine holes in thirty-five, one below bogey. No other matches were played on Saturday.

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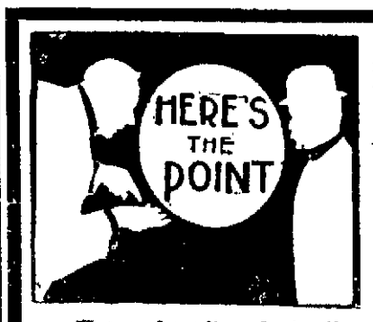

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